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## BRITAIN PLANS EXPANSION OF AIR LINES

### AIRWAYS REACH TOWARDS CHINA

#### SIR PHILIP SASSOON'S OUTLOOK

##### DEVELOPING OF VITAL LINKS

##### MINISTER'S LONG FLYING TOUR

London, Oct. 31. Sir Philip Sassoon, the Under-Secretary for Air, is hopeful of an eventual service by Imperial Airways into China. In conversations with officials of the company at Singapore, where great development work is proceeding, he had been led to believe that the difficulties encountered in the scheme for extension of Imperial Airways to China were being gradually overcome.

Sir Philip has just returned from an extended air tour, one of the longest a Minister has undertaken, and on landing from Singapore to-day declared he was particularly interested in the development of aerodromes and landing grounds on the India-Singapore section of the Imperial Airways route into the Far East. This is naturally a vital link in the expanding system.

The Air Ministry had been working for many months, he said, on plans for the development of commercial air transport.

##### NEED FASTER PLANES.

They had come to the conclusion, he added, that flying times for the routes at present operated must be drastically curtailed. Faster ships seem to be the great aim of the industry, he admitted, and in that the Ministry was heartily co-operating.

During his tour of the British air network he had often flown and landed at night, Sir Philip went on.

Regular night flying along the air routes will be a more practical proposition in the near future, Sir Philip believes, for already it has been proved perfectly feasible and perfectly safe.—Reuter.

##### NEW SCHEME IN VIEW.

London, Oct. 31. A scheme for the further development of British commercial air transport upon plans for which the Air Ministry, in conjunction with the Post Office and Imperial Airways, have been actively engaged for several months past will, it is hoped, be revealed within the next month or two.

This announcement was made today in interview by Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-Secretary for Air, who has just returned from a 19,000-mile flight over fourteen countries and during which he traveled as far east as Singapore and visited the Royal Air Force stations in Egypt, the North-West Frontier and India.

Sir Philip Sassoon's journey was made in seven different types of aircraft, civil and military, and he is convinced that civil air transport must, in the not too distant future, increasingly supplement the old forms of transport. During his long tour, there were

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#### YANGTSE PILOTS STRIKE THREAT

##### Object To Fresh Examinations

Shanghai, Nov. 1.

The Chinese Shanghai Pilotage Association of the Yangtse River is lodging a protest with the Central Government authorities against the newly promulgated regulation whereby all pilots will have to take examination and certificates will be withheld from those who fail to pass.

The Pilotage Association criticizes the regulation as impracticable and threatens to call a strike if the regulation is withdrawn.—Central News.

#### RESTORATION OF WAGES

#### ROOSEVELT PLANS ANNOUNCED

Washington, Oct. 31.

President Roosevelt to-day announced his intention of recommending to Congress full restoration, as from July 1, 1935, of all salaries of Government employees to the 1932 level.

It is the administration's expectation that increases in values and prices will warrant the restoration.

Salaries were reduced fifteen per cent. when President Roosevelt entered the White House in 1933 and the last Congress restored ten per cent., so that the forthcoming increase will be only five per cent.

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#### IN MEMORY OF PERSIAN POET

#### LUNCHEON HELD IN LONDON

London, Oct. 31.

Mr. Anthony Eden, Lord Privy Seal, represented the British Government at a luncheon of the Royal Central Asian Society in the House of Lords, at which the Persian Minister and many oriental scholars were present, to honour the immortal memory of Firdausi the great poet of Persia, whose millennium is being celebrated.—British Wireless.

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### WOMAN'S ATTACK ON PRINCESS

#### DUKE OF KENT'S FIANCÉE

#### IN PARIS ADVENTURE

#### ONLY A FALSE ALARM

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#### MINISTER ON VACATION

#### RETURNING TO CHINA IN JANUARY

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Chicago, Oct. 31.

Mr. Nelson Johnson, the American Minister to China who is on leave here, said to-day he would spend a month in the capital and another month at Cody, Wyoming.

He was sailing for China in January, he added.—United Press.

### ENGLAND DEFEATS SCOTLAND

#### LUCKY WIN IN SOCCER TEST

#### PLAYED IN WILD WEATHER

Stanford Bridge, Oct. 31.

In icy winds and rain, 16,000 shivering fans watched the English League players defeat the Scottish team by two goals to one in spite of having had the worst of exchanges generally.

For three-quarters of the game the Scottish forwards outplayed the English team easily, running all around the remarkably weak English halves.

At the interval Scotland led by one goal, scored by McCulloch, and it appeared that the northern team must win.

England, however, played up after resumption and persistently attacked. Brock scored finally after a really brilliant effort and added another goal a little later.—Reuter.

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### C.E.R. SALE AGREEMENT NOW A CERTAINTY

#### Nazi Church Head Loses Second Round

#### OPPOSING BISHOPS REINSTATED

#### FIGHTING PARSON CHEERED

Berlin, Oct. 31.

Wild cheering of 4,000 Protestant Church delegates gathered at the Marble Hall Zoo, the capital's largest ball room, greeted the announcement to-day that the Opposition had won another round against the official Nazi Church and Reichsbishop Mueller.

Dr. Niemoller, "the Fighting Parson of Dahlem," one of the foremost of the co-operating leaders in the struggle against Reichsbishop Mueller, announced that his allies, the South German Bishops, Dr. Meissner of Bavaria and Dr. Wurm of Wurtemberg, had been restored to the offices of which they were deprived by the Reichsbishop. Their reinstatement takes effect from to-morrow, he said.

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#### C.M.S.N. SHIP ARRIVES

#### QUICK PASSAGE FROM ENGLAND

#### FOUR MORE ON THE WAY

Shanghai, Oct. 31.

The first of the four steamers built in England for the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company fleet, through the British Boxer Indemnity Fund, has arrived here. She is the Huiyan.

She took 47 days for her passage out from Nantucket, and arrived three days ahead of her schedule.

Two other vessels of the same type and tonnage are at present on their way to Shanghai from Britain, and a fourth will leave England to-day, according to latest information by the owners.—Reuter.

TO FLY TO CANTON.

Shanghai, Oct. 31.

The s.s. Hailang, one of the vessels recently built in England for the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company, arrived here this afternoon for delivery. She will be docked to-day for examination and will be formally delivered to the C.M.S.N.C. on November 10. The s.s. Hailang will be placed in the service between Shanghai and Canton.—Central News.

### MOSCOW EXPECTS EARLY TRANSFER

#### ONLY DETAIL OF DEAL LEFT TO SETTLE

### CAUSE OF FAR EAST FRICITION REMOVED

Moscow, Oct. 31.

The cause of much friction and distrust, a matter which more than once has been indicated as possible excuse for war between Japan and Russia, the C. E. R. sale negotiations have now reached a point where complete and final settlement is virtually certain.

It is expected here that complete agreement for the transfer of the railroad from Russia to Japan and Manchukuo will be reached shortly.

While the purchase price has been fixed at 140,000,000 yen, negotiations will continue for a time in regard to other conditions of the sale, the most important of which relate to the circumstances of the transfer of the railway to the purchaser and guarantees for the payment of the purchase price.

It is agreed that in the event of the yen falling below a certain value, currency payments will be reckoned according to the gold price.

EMPLOYEES PROTECTED.

In the event of decision to dismiss the Soviet employees of the railroad, the new administration must give three months' notice and dismissed employees must have the right to remain in Manchukuo two months longer to settle their personal affairs.

Mr. Yurovich, the Soviet Ambassador to Tokyo, and Mr. Hirota, Japanese Foreign Minister, are continuing the negotiations. There have been reports that the latter stages have been somewhat acrimonious.—Reuter.

### CANTON MAN WINS £5,700

#### DREW HORSE IN SWEEPSTAKE

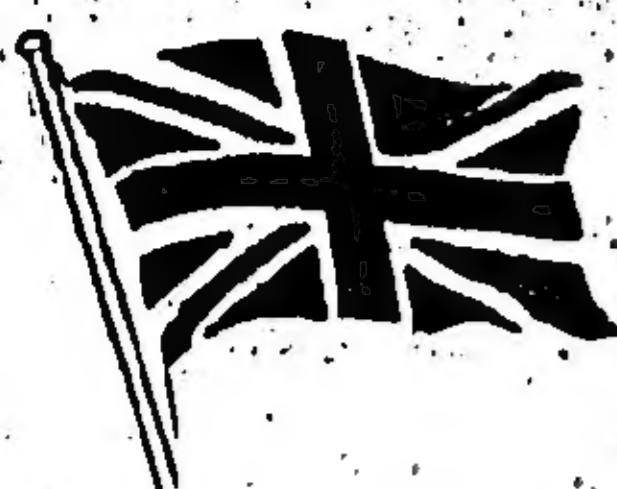
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## LONDON'S NEW WHITE HALL

### BIG SAVING IN RENTALS

### A CHANGING CITY

London, Oct. 9.

Although Waterloo Bridge has been taken down to the tops of the arches neither the design nor the architect for the new bridge has yet been chosen. Dozens of designs have been sent to the County Hall and are to be examined. They have come from architects and engineers and some of them bear names that ensure very careful consideration. The paramount factor it is emphasised is "traffic both over and under the new bridge." So far the design most favoured is that of Sir Giles Gilbert Scott which provides for a bridge with five arches to carry six lanes of traffic. It would be connected by footways with the Victoria Embankment.

The Cabinet now has the plans before it for a new "Whitehall" to cost £2,600,000 and take six years to build. The site is occupied by Montague House and its neighbours. It runs from Whitehall through to the Embankment. The great block will be a dominating landmark between Charing Cross Bridge and Westminster. There will be room for a staff of 7,000. Nearly all Government Departments could be brought under one roof. It is expected that the Ministry of Agriculture, the Ministry of Labour and the Air Ministry, and possibly the Board of Trade will be transferred. The Cabinet headquarters would remain at No. 10 Downing Street. One result of the new plan will be a substantial saving of rent now paid for Government buildings. This saving has been officially estimated at £158,000 a year.

### FLAT FEVER.

Curzon Street has caught the flat-building fever. So far Shepherd's Market remains untouched by the changes around it. On several occasions of late however, suggestions have been thrown out for making it London's counterpart of Montmartre. The new buildings have sprung up on the old site of the gardens of Landowne House tower. A tall new block of flats in Curzon Street is all ready for occupation. A little further on demolition of the building adjoining the bright lights of the Curzon cinema is proceeding.

Big changes are probable near Regents Park. The area concerned is in the immediate neighbourhood of Holy Trinity Church Marylebone. The cost of the contemplated scheme is £300,000. If negotiations which are now in progress between the Crown and certain business interests are satisfactorily concluded this site will be cleared, and on it will be built a big block of "economical-Luxury" flats. At present the site is occupied by the old and very dilapidated looking houses and other buildings which were vacated two years ago. There has been some complaint because it has become unattractive. Financial conditions have prevented its development until now.

### EMBANKMENT CHANGES.

Excavations have been begun on the Albert Embankment, immediately facing Thames House, Hillbank, for the foundations of London's new fire brigade headquarters. The building will form a new landmark on the Lambeth side of the river and will represent the latest ideas in housing fire brigades and equipment. It is at the corner of Broad Street and close to the new Lambeth Bridge. The new fire station will provide suites of apartments for the officers and much-improved facilities for drill and handling ladders and motor equipment. When the building is ready it is intended to close the Vauxhall and Waterloo Road fire

### FASHION NOTES

New Large Flat Berets For Autumn

### IN CHIFFON VELVET



Now hats...large flat beret in thin black felt-trimmed with a white bird, and another flat beret in bronze-brown chiffon velvet the brim stitched and the crown encircled by a twisted velvet band.

### AUTUMN CLEANING

MANY women like to have a special cleaning carried out in their homes at the end of the summer. It is not as drastic as spring cleaning, but there does come a time, when summer is on the wane, when perhaps the curtains look rather faded or too thin, the furniture needs rearranging so that it is nearer the fireplace, and blankets and eiderdowns have to be taken out of their summer hiding-places.

Don't put off autumn cleaning too long. Don't wait for cold mornings before you make your rooms warm and cosy. See that your heating arrangements are in perfect working order; that no draughts can enter a room under a door or through a badly fitting window.

Have plenty of bedclothes and hot-water bottles handy. If your rooms face north or east, substitute thick curtains in warm colourings for the thinner curtains of summer. There is nothing that makes a room more comfortable on a cold winter's night than heavy curtains drawn across the windows to shut out fog and cold winds. There is no need to upset the house by this autumn cleaning especially if you possess a vacuum cleaner.

stations, the Battersea Bridge fire-float station and the Charing Cross float repair depot.

The York-Adelphi Club, the first club for hotel employees in London has just opened its door. Its joint proprietors are two ex-employees of the Savoy Hotel and their premises comprise floor of 1,600 square feet in a new building in the Adelphi. The membership of the club is open to all grades for £8 a year, paid quarterly, and its hundred members include page boys, reception clerks porters, valets, chefs, cooks, waiters, kitchen hands, and managers. The directors of several London hotels are supporting the club by becoming hon. members, and the proprietors hope to organise games, competitions and football and cricket matches between the hotel staffs.

### THE INNER CIRCLE.

London's "Inner Circle" celebrated its jubilee this week. Fifty years ago it began as an underground street railway, the first ever designed for the local services of large cities in this or any other country. In those days a journey on the Inner Circle was an adventure from which the awed and grateful traveller was delivered, half deafened and half suffocated by clouds of smoke and steam, and with his face blackened and his mouth full of cinders. He called the line "Vulcan's Way". To-day the Inner Circle, part of the huge organisation controlled by the London Passenger Transport Board, is likely to be reformed. The Board has spurned the repeal of the old guarantee of clear and continuous working of the Circle, so as to improve the service in conjunction with the District service. If the Board's plans mature the Circle, as London has known it for fifty years may be no more.

### SALESMAN SAM

## Argentine Profits By Ill Winds

### AMERICA'S TRADE STILL FLOURISHES

### BALANCE FAR FROM SIGHT

What is the North American wheat growers' loss is the Argentinians' gain, judging by reports from Buenos Aires which explain the effects of the recent drought on the wheat-marketing situation in the Southern Hemisphere.

Argentina is almost exclusively a grain-growing and stock-raising country. It produces large quantities of wheat, corn and linseed, marketing the first two chiefly in Europe and the bulk of the linseed in the United States. When the price of wheat had dropped to a notably low level last November, the Argentine Government, in order to aid distressed farmers, purchased substantial quantities of wheat at 20 per cent. above the prevailing market price.

It was generally expected that the Government would have to take a sizable loss on these wheat transactions, as it had earlier in respect to corn, but developments in the United States and parts of Canada resulting in a marked rise in wheat prices are enabling it to dispose of its wheat without a loss and possibly at a small profit.

A recent report from Buenos Aires reveals that foreign exchange has become exceedingly scarce on the local market, indicating that Argentine grain exporters, including the Government, may be holding the grain for higher prices.

### PROFITABLE TRADE.

The South American Republic buys approximately twice as much from the United States as it sells in that market. This status holds good both in years of prosperity and adversity. In the peak year 1929, the United States sold to Argentina products valued at \$210,000,000 and purchased Argentine merchandise valued at \$117,000,000. At the lowest ebb of this trade, American exports to the Argentine market were valued at \$31,000,000, while imports from Argentina into the United States amounted to \$15,000,000.

In spite of the difficulties cited, United States trade with Argentina has been on the upgrade since July, 1932. American purchases of Argentine products have increased faster than the latter's buying in the American market, but the improvement in both directions is encouraging.

In 1933, United States exports to Argentina were about 18 per cent greater than in 1932.

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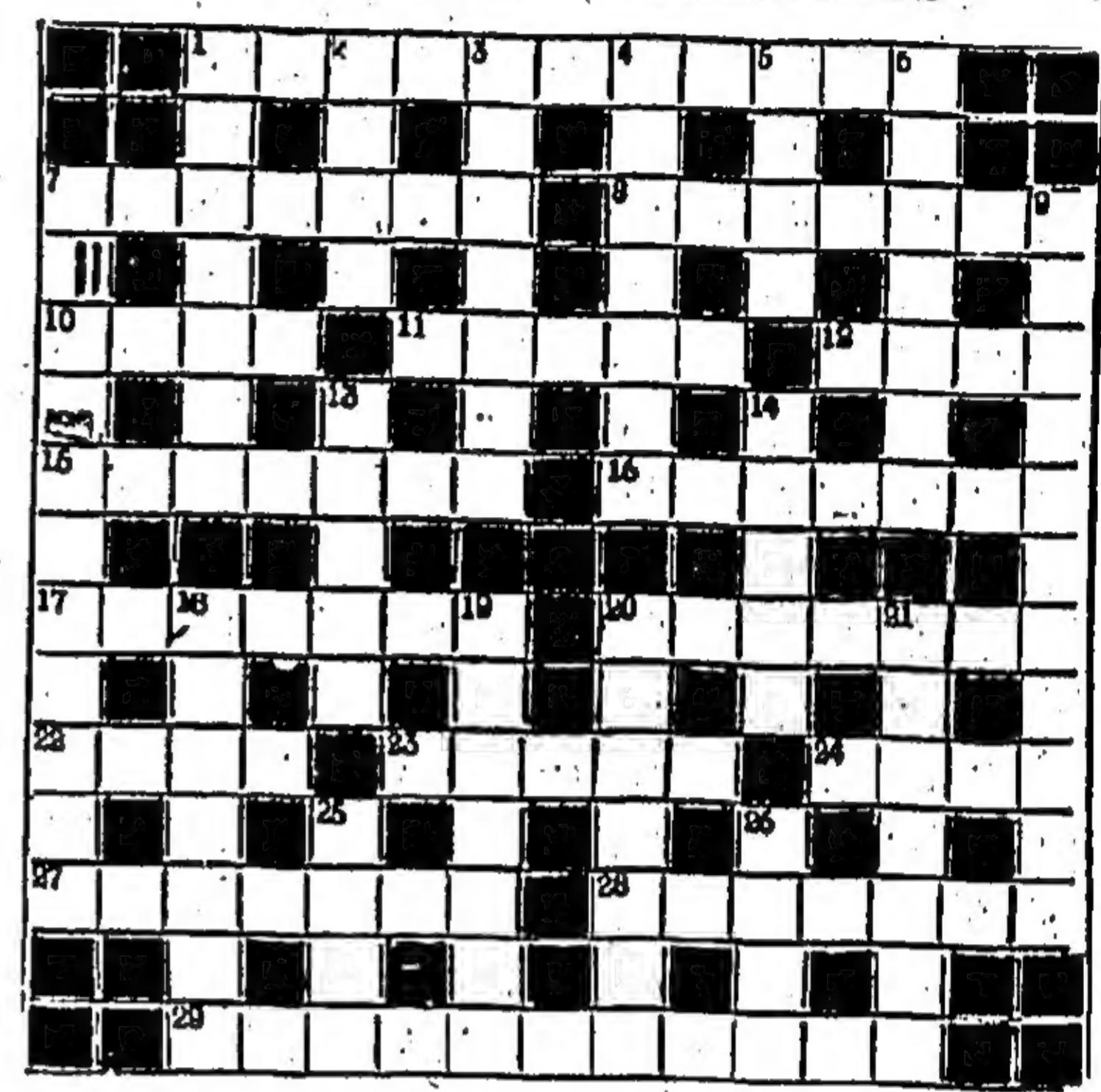
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- 6 But having swallowed a letter produces an extract.
- 7 Our bed table is useful, but it would be formidable if overturned.
- 9 The big noise in now husband shows us where we eat (hyphen).
- 13 If frozen, there can be no music in them, said the shepherd.
- 14 A day at the sales.
- 15 This sort of man can play many minor parts.
- 16 A split in this West Country town might suggest Gibean.
- 17 The pure version of a golf result (two words).
- 20 One of seven apparently, but the question is which (two words).
- 21 Species of crane.
- 25 South Sea Islands.
- 26 Turn certain garments inside out, and find another in them.

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- 1 A famous operettist.
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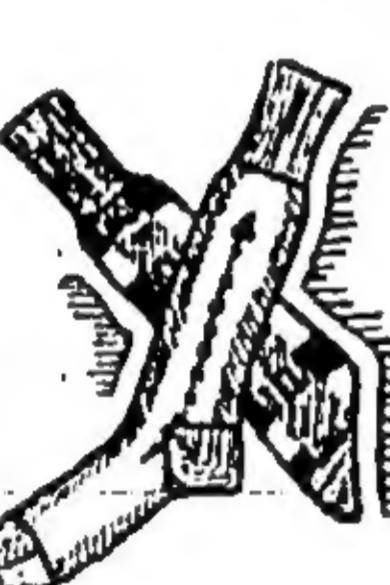
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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

G. R.

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T. H. KING,  
Inspector General of Police.  
Hongkong, 30th October, 1934.

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Hongkong, November 1st, 1934.

## NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have received instructions that all claims against F. M. L. Soares be sent to the undersigned before the 6th day of November, 1934.

D'ALMADA REMEDIOS & SILVA,  
Solicitor for F. M. L. Soares.

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### Notice to Shareholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTEENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Shareholders in the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, 2, Lower Albert Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th November, 1934, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 1st November, 1934, to 14th November, 1934, both days inclusively.

By Order of the  
Board of Directors,  
G. MILNE,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hongkong, 29th October, 1934.

## THE ITALIAN CONVENT ANNUAL CHARITY FAIR.

On the 3rd and 4th of November, the Italian Convent will hold their Annual Fair on behalf of the poor and invalids; the orphans at Shaukiwan; the creches at Sacred Heart and Namtau; the free hospital at Taiwachow; the blind girls at Honey Ville-Mt. Davis, Pukfulum and the free school at Hung Hom, Aberdeen and Mosque Street.

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### CINEMA NEWS

#### NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

Good, clean, hearty laughter is the offering at the Queen's Theatre where "Here Comes the Groom" with Jack Haley, Mary Boland, Nell Hamilton, Patricia Ellis, Isabel Jewel and Sidney Toler heading the imposing cast, is showing till Saturday. "Here comes the Groom" is a pure farce, built around Jack Haley's well-known and well-loved dead-man comedy. The story concerns Haley, a harmless piccolo player, who, to please his sweetheart, Isabel Jewel, undertakes a robbery. During the hold-up, the tables are turned on Haley, and deprived of his clothes and forced to flee from the police, he takes refuge in a pullman compartment. The compartment is the honeymoon headquarters of Patricia Ellis, whose bridegroom, the famous "Masked-Tenor," has deserted her. Miss Ellis, ashamed to return home without a bridegroom, forces Haley to act the part, and introduces him to her family as the famous "Masked-Tenor." Her aunt, Mary Boland, receives him gushingly and precipitately, one embarrassing situation after another for the perspiring Haley. To top all, his own sweethearts secures a position in the Ellis home, as a maid, with the intention to rob the household. Haley's position is made infinitely more precarious by the radio, on which the real "Masked-Tenor" vocalizes. And the climax is capped by the appearance of the real "Masked-Tenor" to claim his bride. The excellent performances turned in by Haley, Miss Boland and Patricia Ellis keep the funny plot bubbling. Isabel Jewel and Nell Hamilton add their effective talents to the picture's serious moments. The best shot: Jack Haley at the piano attempting to impersonate, with voice and action, the "Masked-Tenor" as heard over the radio.

#### "The Man Who Dared"

More settings than are used in ordinary pictures form the background for the action of "The Man Who Dared," the story suggested by incidents in the life of the late Mayor Anton Cermak of Chicago, now playing at the Alhambra. Some of the scenes include Castle Garden, New York; a coal mine, various Chicago streets, a Lake Michigan beach, the Illinois Senate chamber, private homes, national political convention auditoriums, a Miami street and various homes, stores and buildings. Preston Foster plays the title role in "The Man Who Dared," which was written by Dudley Nichols and Lamar Trotter. Other players include Zita Johann, Irene Biller, Frank Sheridan, Douglas Dumbrille, Leon Waycoff, John Marsh and hundreds of others.

#### "Love, Never Again"

With the action revolving about a would-be woman-hater who bets a friend that he will not be involved with any woman for five whole years, the Lillian Harvey comedy-romance "Love, Never Again," comes to the Central Theatre shortly. Beautiful backgrounds including picturesque scenery enhance the action of the film while one of the colourful highlights is the Carnival in Nice with all its attendant gaiety and laughter and glitter. Romance and comedy are vital elements of the story. Sander-croft, still suffering from the disappointment of a recent love affair, is inveigled into a wager with a pal that he must have nothing to do with any woman for five whole years. The winner is to receive a small fortune at the end of that time, so Sander-croft takes it up. The role of Sander-croft is taken by a popular Continental star, Harry Liedtke, who is said to be a perfect foil for the delightful Lillian Harvey.

#### "She Loves Me Not"

A brand-new popular starring combination comes to the screen in Paramount's film version of the smash Broadway success—"She Loves Me Not." The picture comes on Saturday to the Queen's Theatre, with Bing Crosby and Miriam Hopkins in the principal roles. Acting the role of a levee-sick chivalrous Princeton student, Crosby sings and woos his way to the great romance with the daughter of the university dean, after Miriam Hopkins, as the madcap, flamboyant little night-club dancer, enters his life, and leaves him a sadder but wiser college lad. Beginning with an utterly fantastic and ludicrous situation, the film in its rapid progress makes a run at colleges, the motion picture industry, the newspapermen, gamblers, gangsters and most of the familiar American institutions. Yet there is in it a sparkling comedy not a trace of rawcut bitterness. A distinguished cast, including Warren Hymer, Lynne Overman, Judith Allen, George Barbier and Vice Barnett, supports Bing Crosby and Miss Hopkins. "She Loves Me Not" also features several brand-new tunes by Ralston and Robin, and Gordon and Revel and a number of duets by Crosby and Miss Carlisle. Elliot Nugent directed.

#### "By Whose Hand?"

If a beautiful girl should accidentally kiss you in a railroad station, and you fell head over heels in love with her, wouldn't you chuck everything and follow? For Ben Lyon, spontaneous and dashing as a newspaper reporter in his scintillating role in "By Whose Hand?" on the screen of the Alhambra Theatre to-morrow, there is only one answer—"Yes!"—even if it means getting involved in a series of mysterious murders that take place aboard the speeding Pullman. Romance and melodrama are blended in the mystery plot of Lyon's latest picture, produced by Columbia, which has the unique setting of an express train at night. The entire action of the picture is unfolded entirely on this train. Lyon and the girl, portrayed by the alluring Barbara Weeks, get caught in a mesh of murder, mystery and humour, along with eleven other passengers on the Pullman. In support of Lyon and

### OIL MONOPOLY

#### JAPANESE ACTION CAUSES CONCERN IN LONDON

London, Oct. 31. The Manchukuo Oil Monopoly statement has been most unfavourably received in the City, which points out that the "cast-iron" nature of the monopoly is nowise mitigated; also, it is expected that oil will be the precedent and other industries, such as tobacco, are regarded to be the next sufferers.

Many believe that Japan deliberately timed the monopoly to follow the reception of the Federated British Industries' Mission, in order to show foreign powers that they cannot get anything they want from Manchukuo while withholding recognition. —Reuter.

Miss Weeks, Ben Stoloff, the director, assembled an excellent cast of finished screen players, including William V. Mong, Nat Pendleton, Dwight Frye, Helen Millard, Ethel Kenyon, William Halligan, Kenneth Thomson, Tom Dugan, Lorin Baker and Dolores Keey, Columbia's latest importation from Broadway.

#### "Thirty-Day Princess"

A different, but extremely fascinating Sylvia Sidney, free for the time of the necessity of appearing morbid, unhappy or frustrated, may be seen in Paramount's delicious comedy satire "Thirty-Day Princess," which is now showing at the King's Theatre. As the little actress who was hired to impersonate a princess, and wound up, wishing that she were a real princess, so that she could hold the love of the handsome newspaper publisher, Miss Sidney is easy to look at, beautifully gilded, and refreshingly witty. To help the supporting cast is Cary Grant, who can overcome any woman's resistance to the handsome impulsive publisher; Lucien Littlefield, and Vince Barnett. The story is an expert adaptation of Clarence Budington Kelland's popular magazine story, credit being due Preston Sturges and Frank Pariot for the clever adaptation, and Sam Hellman and Edwin Justin Mayer for the bright and racy dialogue.

#### "Son of Kong"

A lion, a lamb and a mouse mounting arm-in-arm down the Gay White Way in New York would hardly present a more striking sight than the three principal characters in "Son of Kong," RKO-Radio Pictures' new romantic melodrama of Skull Island, Sunday at the King's Theatre. The principal characters, pals together, are a man, a maid and a gigantic snow-white ape, thrice their size. Handicapped and utterly incongruous, the three trudge through jungle paths, proceed through eerie jungles, into misty, crumpling temples of a lost civilization, where they find great diamonds. The film, from an original idea by Merian C. Cooper, was written by Ruth Rose, and was directed by Ernest B. Schoedsack.

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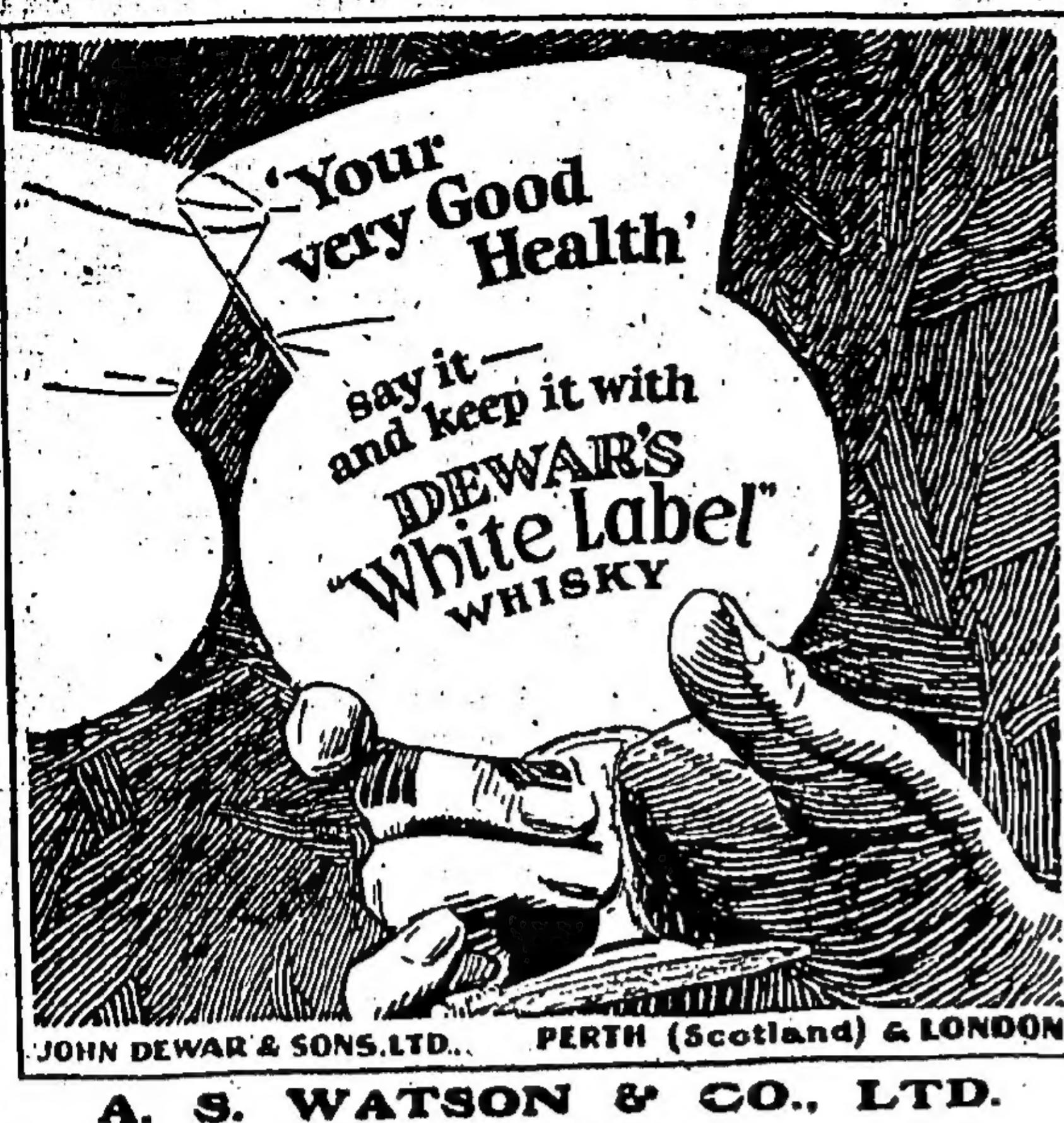
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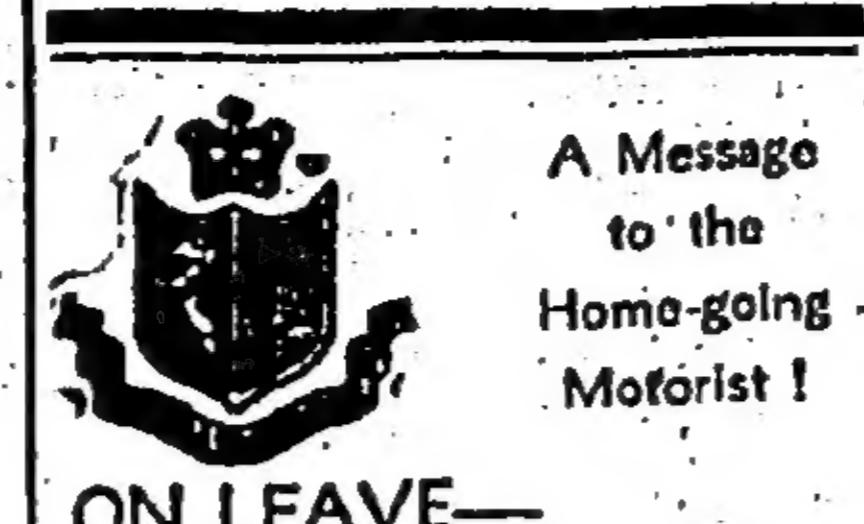
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**Hongkong Telegraph**

THURSDAY, NOV. 1, 1934.

### CRUCIAL DAYS FOR JAPAN

Japan is at the moment faced with a financial problem of considerable magnitude. Efforts to balance the Budget are proving extremely difficult. The Ministries of War and Navy have been insisting on big appropriations, based on the belief that 1936 will be a crucial one in the nation's history. If their full demands were conceded, there would be a Budget deficit totalling no less than \$870,000,000 yen. It is reported, however, that the Ministry of Finance has decided on drastic cuts in the Army and Navy demands, not being disposed to approve of more than forty per cent. thereof. In view of the strength and power of the military faction, it will be interesting to watch reactions. There have been some slight indications lately of a growing ascendancy of the diplomats over the militarists, but it would be premature to suggest that the latter are disposed to give way to any marked extent. The naval position *vis-a-vis* Britain and the United States has still to be adjusted, in addition to which the influence of the jingosists, with their visions of a Far Eastern hegemony, will no doubt be increasingly felt in the near future. Meanwhile, the internal condition of the country, especially in the agricultural districts, is causing some anxiety. Agrarian distress shows no sign of subsiding, and, with the winter ahead, it is likely to be intensified rather than otherwise. This is a problem which is a constant source of worry to the Government, inasmuch as the great bulk of the men of the regular Army hail from agricultural districts, and news filtering through of the conditions in these areas is always liable to lead to a spirit of restlessness amongst the troops. The problem, at bottom, is an economic one, and is not easy of satisfactory adjustment. In the background, also, is the ever-present danger of Communistic activity, on which a sharp eye has to be kept. As against these factors, however, there has to be placed very marked industrial expansion, which is greatly facilitated by the low level to which the yen has fallen, enabling Japanese products to find an easy outlet in world markets. But even in this sphere, fresh difficulties are being encountered as measures are taken by various countries to cope with the "dumping" evil. All in all, whilst Japan's virility and enterprise are still much to the fore, the country is facing difficult times, and its future will be greatly affected by the happenings of the immediate future. If wise statesmanship

### DANGEROUS ARIZONANS

There has been a recrudescence of the trouble between American farmers in Arizona and their Japanese neighbours. A band of mounted men threw a number of dynamite bombs at the homes of two Japanese land-holders in the Salt River Valley area and a Japanese child was injured by flying glass as a result of the explosion. Violence has been threatened before by the American farmers, who are incensed at the competition offered them by the Japanese and British Indian producers in the region, but this is the first time that either side has resorted to such dangerous demonstrations as bombings. It is very certain that Americans would be highly indignant if their countrymen were treated in such fashion in Japan, and it is equally certain that Japanese will be incensed if harm befalls any of these immigrants in Arizona. Here is a case for swift action on the part of the authorities in a state where the "frontier law" still appears to prevail.

### PEACE IN INDIA

It is a matter for gratification that the condition of political affairs in India should have moderated to such an extent and that terrorism, according to Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for India, should have been practically stamped out. It is a matter for congratulation, both for the part that the authorities have played in level-headed administration and for the good sense displayed by the thinking people of India. Indian reformists must have learned that they will never attain their ends by violence and that the surest way to lose sympathy is to resort to mob disorders or cowardly assassination of British officials.

As displayed, there is no reason to suppose anything but a progressive advance being registered. On the other hand, the situation is so delicately poised that a false step might well lead to serious consequences.

### NOTES OF THE DAY

#### GAME OF CHANCE

## BRITISH PRINCIPLE IN SPORT DEFENDED

By "AN OLD STAGER"

If devoted concentration is a true index of faith, then a dispassionate critic of our epoch might reasonably conclude that, with the Anglo-Saxon communities at all events, sport has become the popular religion.

To upset this logical impression it would be necessary to show Sabbath congregations comparable with the Saturday afternoon football crowds, a revivalist meeting at which the attendance equals that for a heavy-weight boxing contest, and preachers whose "draw" rivalled that of the electric hare at our suburban dog races.

The popular Press may be accepted as a reliable barometer of democratic enthusiasm. I will consent to revise my views about the comparative fervour of popular religion and popular sport when the stunt Press prints as much ecclesiastical news as sporting gossip, or devotes as much of its valuable space to the Archbishop of Canterbury or the President of the Wesleyan Methodists as to Don Bradman or Jack Petersen.

But sport, like religion, has its varying forms of expression. The two main varieties are perhaps not greatly dissimilar from the two vital distinctions noticeable in religious observance.

There are those who embrace religion for its own sake, and those who regard it as a form of fire insurance. And just the same way there are sportsmen who are devoted to the game for its own sake, and others who are mainly, if not exclusively, concerned with the winning of the game. That is, I think, the big difference between most British devotees of genuine sport and the majority of America.

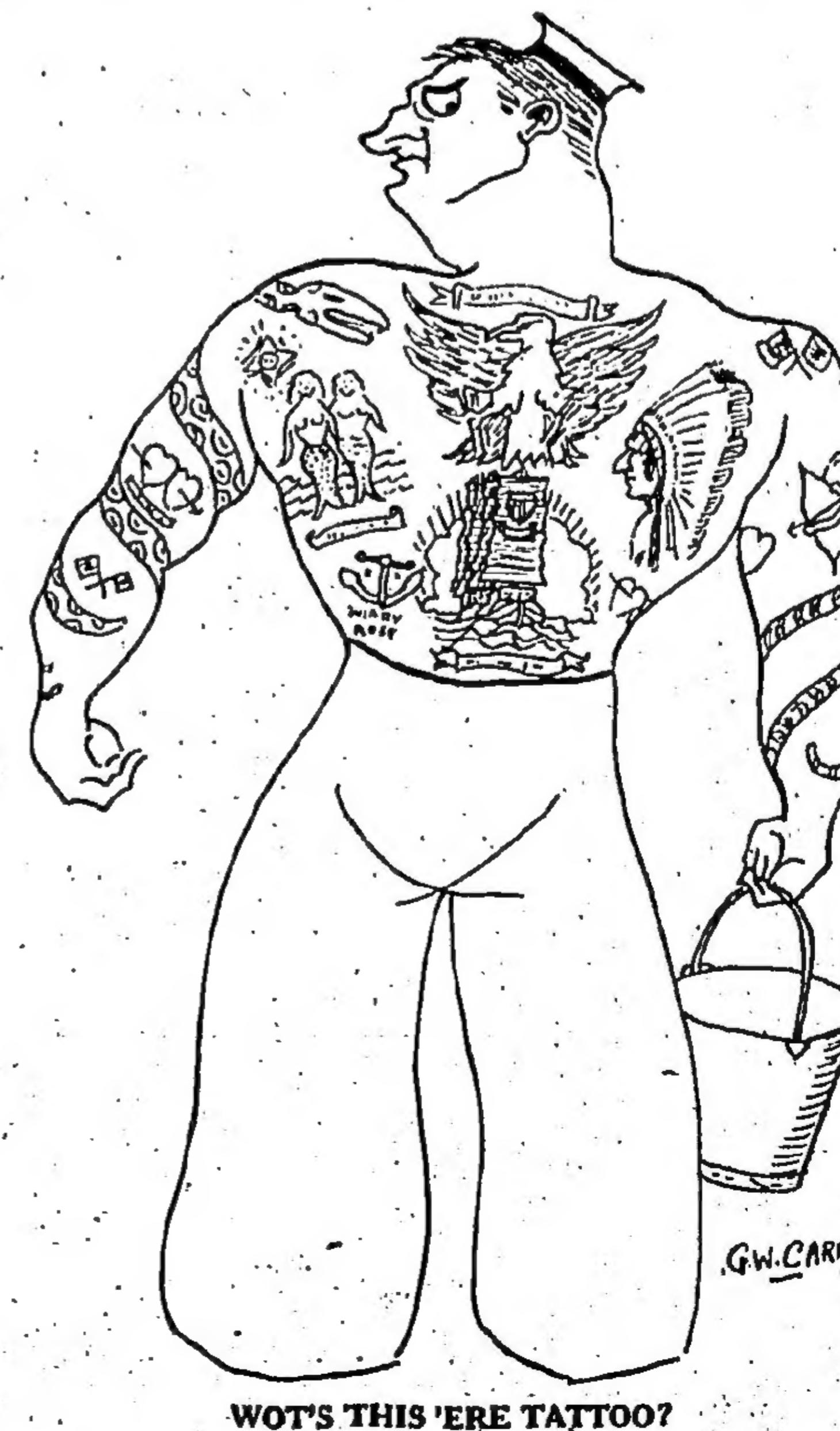
Only this week I was reading an article by a very eminent golfing expert who was discussing why our golfers go so consistently smothered by Americans. A famous American amateur golfer's opinion was cited, and it struck me as ringing true.

This American sportsman asserted that with British golfers the main thing was the game. With Americans, he stated, the game was of less importance and interest than the winning of it. This mental attitude explains much that puzzles and sometimes annoys us in American sporting manifestations. Which in the right attitude may be a matter of opinion.

The American can justify himself by one very respectable and venerable adage:—Anything that is worth doing at all is worth doing well. But there again a question of interpretation arises. May not the playing of a game well involve most essentially the losing of it well? I think it most certainly does, and our sportsmen are better at this than any others in the world.

This is not, I think, because they have more experience in losing, but because they have an older, better, and more joyous tradition of good sport. Sport is, after all, only a means to an end. In its best forms it is a healthy recreation and amusement. To exaggerate

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### MUSIC HATH CHARMS

By George

THE story of how we banished peace and quietness from the home and turned it into a madhouse of revelry and song is one that should be a lesson to all music lovers.

It was about a month ago that Cruikshank after essaying a vocal duet with a stray cat which had caught the seductive perfume of his shaving soap, mentioned to us that we were without a musical instrument in the house.

"That's why we like this place," we exclaimed ignoring Cruikshank's proffered cigarette and reaching for one of his cigars.

"But we ought to have something in for visitors," replied Cruikshank putting the cigars in the drawer and his cigarettes in his pocket.

We looked pointedly at the decanter and delicately reminded our host of his duties.

"I suggest that you get a gramophone and I'll get a radio," said Cruikshank replacing the decanter after pouring out a stiff toddy and becoming very affable.

"I know where there's just the thing. I'll tell Bertie to send it round and if you like it you buy it," he continued, draining the glass at one gulp and ushering us towards the door. "Come along, old chap, let's go to your club and have a drink."

In the fullness of time "Bertie" arrived and sold us a snappy little portable complete with a permanent needle, an everlasting screech, and one God-forgotten record—"The voice in the old Village Choir."

We had played this delightful little jazz song 23 times to the delectation of our neighbours when "Wilfred" arrived with his little five valve radio.

We explained that Cruikshank would be in shortly.

"Oh no! This is for you," said Wilfred tearing down our reading lamp and transferring the plug with expert fingers.

It was no good explaining to Wilfred. We must have made a mistake or Cruikshank must have made a mistake—but not Wilfred. We paid up and turned on ZBW. The Hongkong Hotel Orchestra were just tuning in on "The Voice in the Old Village Choir."

Later in the evening Cruikshank appeared with a snappy radio which he had managed to buy despite the fact that Wilfred had not appeared. It was no good getting hot about it, so we turned on Manilla on Cruikshank's radio, Hongkong, on ours and allowed "The Voice" to drown the statics.

A week later we had another boarder. He had a piano, radio and gramophone with him and, to add variety, a dog with a long yellow bark.

A week after that the circus set up outside the house and the pace became very hot. Cruikshank did not come home at all the last week of the circus. As for ourselves we became used to getting to sleep to the same tunes each night and managed to stand it.

Now, however, the circus has been replaced by a Carnival and rather than having to learn all over again, we are returning to the wilds of Kowloon Tong with "The Voice in the Old Village Choir."

You're Asking Me?



Is it good manners to kiss him goodnight?

Voice of Experience Programme ZBW Hongkong Dear Voice of Experience: Is it good manners when a boy takes you out to kiss him goodnight when he brings you home?

Helena C. (Signed)

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## ROOSEVELT KEEPES SILENT

### DECLINES TO TELL OF CONVERSATION

(Special to "Telegraph")

*(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic News Service, Inc., Received, November 1, 11 a.m.)*

Washingon, Oct. 31. President Roosevelt, to-day, declared that he had discussed world affairs with Mr. Henry L. Stimson, the former Secretary of State in the Hoover Government, when he was questioned about the conversations in the White House yesterday.

The President declined to specify the subjects discussed and also declined to comment on what is transpiring at the London naval conversations. He would not say whether or not he had talked of that matter with Mr. Stimson.—*United Press.*

### ARMS EMBARGO

### ALL GOVERNMENTS NOW IN LINE

London, Oct. 31. In answer to a question in the House of Commons, the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, said an international agreement to prevent the supply of arms to Bolivia and Paraguay, invited and pressed by His Majesty's Government, had at last been put into operation.

All arms-manufacturing countries approached by the League Committee, who had previously announced their acceptance in principle of the proposed embargo, now stated that they took the necessary measures before the end of September, without reservations as regards execution of current contracts.—*British Wireless.*

### RUBBER PROBLEM

### RESTRICTION MAY BE 30 PER CENT.

New York, Oct. 31. The adjournment of the Rubber Restriction Committee's meeting without any action being taken will probably disconcert the market until a settlement is reached. We hear that restriction is likely to amount to 30 per cent.

The break in rubber prices is due to the failure of an announcement by the London Restriction Committee and the reported difficulty to secure an agreement from the Dutch delegates. *Per Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.*

### SPEED FLIERS IN ATHENS

### SOON EXPECTED IN LONDON

London, Oct. 31. Cathcart Jones and Walter, who are attempting a record-breaking Melbourne-to-England flight, were expected to arrive this evening, but have decided to remain the night at Athens, where they landed from Baghdad this afternoon.—*British Wireless.*

### COLD WEATHER AT HOME

### SNOW IN SCOTLAND AND LONDON

London, Oct. 31. Britain is experiencing a cold spell, and snow fell heavily to-day in several parts of Scotland.

There was also a fall in North London this afternoon.—*British Wireless.*

### RULES OF SHIPPING

Nanchang, Nov. 1. Interest is attracted to a resolution adopted by the General Office of the New Life Movement at Nanchang providing that shipping firms be instructed to enforce the New Life Movement rules on board all steamers. Whether this resolution will be applicable to foreign steamers plying in Chinese territorial waters is not known as yet.—*Central News.*

### IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day:—Soudan, Nara Mastrak, Judo, Mary Moller, Nanchang, Asama Maru, Somerville, Del Maru, Plommed, Storendrake, Eleni, Syyna, Talyuan, Hokoku Maru, Sikhang, Helikon, Himejima.

### BRITAIN PLANS EX- PANSION OF AIR PLANES

(Continued from Page 1.)

No forced landings, and all flights were made strictly to schedule.

### INDIA-SINGAPORE.

He was particularly interested in the development in progress in aerodromes and landing grounds on the India-Singapore section of the route, which he is satisfied is proceeding on right lines. The chief difficulty over this part of the route is the dampness of the aerodromes during the monsoon period, but this matter is receiving the attention of aerodrome experts. Fortunately, the prevailing winds do not vary substantially in direction, and it is therefore possible to overcome the difficulty by putting down landing strips on the aerodromes. This method has already been adopted at Bangkok with marked success.

### THE AUSTRALIAN RACE.

Sir Philip Sassoon said the civil aerodrome at Singapore was a very fine one, and buildings had been extremely well designed and laid out. The people of Malaya were enthusiastic over flying, and realised their responsibilities and the fact that the peninsula must be a link of ever-increasing importance in the Empire air mail route.

He expressed satisfaction that the speed race in the great Australia contest was won by a British machine and a British engine, and paid a tribute to the excellent performance of the Douglas machine flown by very able Dutch pilots. But he did not think they would claim that the time had yet arrived when it was possible to contemplate a speed of 200 miles per hour on a regular schedule down in all weathers and at all times of the year. The lessons of the race were apparent, but he did not wish it to be thought that any special action on the part of the Air Ministry was attendant on the result of such an event.

### EMPIRE CHAIN.

Referring to the work on plans for ordered development which had been proceeding at the Air Ministry, in conjunction with the Post Office and Imperial Airways, for many months past, he said they had reached the conclusion that the present flying times between London and other Empire capitals must be progressively and drastically curtailed, and that measures must be taken for further development of air mail traffic in particular.

Obviously a great deal of preparatory work must be done, and the closest and fullest consultation with the Dominions and Colonies was a necessary preliminary to the final formulation of a definitive scheme. They had no intention of making their plans public prematurely. *British Wireless.*

### POPPY DAY FUND.

### H.E. THE GOVERNOR OPENS LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel have opened the list of contributions towards Earl Haig's Fund and it is hoped that residents of the Colony will follow their generous lead towards helping disabled ex-service men and their dependents.

The following is a list of the opening contributions for 1934:

H.E. the Governor and Lady Peel ..... \$100

E. D. Sasseen Banking Co. Ltd. ..... 50

F. C. Hall ..... 50

British American Tobacco Co. Ltd. ..... 25

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ross ..... 25

Dr. B. A. Moore ..... 15

T. M. Gregory ..... 5

R. C. H. Lim ..... 5

Further contributions will be gratefully received by Mr. F. G. Maundur, Secretary to Earl Haig's Fund, York Bldgs, Hongkong.

Cheques should be made payable to Thomson and Co., and crossed "Poppy Day Fund."

### CORRESPONDENCE

#### Cruelty To Birds

The Editor, *Hongkong Telegraph*,

Sir,—May I bring to the notice of the public, through the medium of your paper, the terribly cruel way in which birds are imported into this Colony?

For example, the case reported in your issue of Thursday, of a Western Market dealer who was merely cautioned by the Magistrate for being in possession of 82 birds in a basket, 16 of which had been trampled to death. Even if the man had only just received the birds, surely he deserved punishment for accepting them in such a state?

DEADALUS.

### The Cambridge- shire

### WYCHWOOD ABBOT WINS CLASSIC

(Continued from Page 1.)

London, Oct. 31. The Cambridgeshire Stakes, run to-day at Newmarket over a distance of 1 mile 1 furlong, was won by Wyckwood Abbot by half a length.

The result was:

1. Wyckwood Abbot (Perryman) 9/1.

2. Commander III (H. Beasley) 40/1.

3. Highlander (Weston) 22/1.

Thirty-three horses ran. Homily, Alman, Chipping and Latof being scratched. Wyckwood Abbot won by half a length, a short head separating second and third horses.—*Reuter.*

### FLOODLIGHT FOOTBALL

### GRAND FINALE TO TATTOO

As a grand finale to the Military Tattoo at Sookpoop, it is proposed to have a floodlight football match on the Sookpoop football ground, on Monday November 5 at 7 p.m., between the South China A. A. and a combined team from the South Wales Borderers and Lincoln.

The following are the selected teams:

Army:—Higgins (Lincolns); Merriam (S.W.B.) and Mullane (S.W.B.); Dudley (Lincolns), Podmore (S.W.B.) and Jones (S.W.B.); Mathins (S.W.B.); Portey (S.W.B.); Malpas (Lincolns); Ridley (Lincolns), and Baldry (Lincolns).

S.S.C.:—China—Wong Wah-ke; Leung In-chau, Lau Mau; Leung Wing-chui, Wong Mc-alum, and Lee Kwok-wai; Tai Kwan-shing, Li Shui-wing, Tam Kong-ping, Cheuk Sek-kun, Li Shek-yam.

LEAGUE GAME POSTPONED

The First Division League

match between the East Lancashire and the Lincolnshire Regiment, fixed for Sunday, has been postponed. The game will now be played on the Chatham Road ground on Wednesday next, kick off at 4 p.m.

### CRICKET

### DIOCESAN BOYS' BEAT R.A.S.C.

The Diocesan Boys' School defeated the Royal Army Service Corps in a friendly cricket match played on the school ground yesterday afternoon.

Batting first, the soldiers were dismissed for 69, of which T. Hayes scored 22. A. Hulse captured four wickets for 22 runs.

The schoolboys had no difficulty in passing their opponents total and at the close of play had scored 140 for 11 runs, while A. Zimmern also collected 25.

LEAGUE FIXTURE.

The Club de Recreio senior eleven

in a League Cricket Match against

The Army on Saturday at King's Park will be represented by the following:—A. M. Rodrigues, (Capt.), H. A. Alves, W. A. Reed, A. Prata, E. M. Soares, P. M. N. da Silva, A. P. Pereira, A. P. Gutierrez, G. A. Gutierrez, L. J. Gutierrez and J. A. Barros. Reserve:—F. J. Remedios.

### B. A. T. ASSOCIATES.

### TWO OTHER COMPANIES INCORPORATED

The British-American Tobacco Company (China) Limited has just incorporated two new associated companies named Yee Tsung Tobacco Company, Limited, and Yee Tsung Tobacco Distributors, Limited.

These new companies will take over from to-day November 1, the businesses previously carried on in China by the British-American Tobacco Company (China) Ltd., British Cigarette Company Limited, and Enterprise Tobacco Company, Limited.

It is learned that this is a scheme of domestic re-organisation whereby it is hoped to carry on business more efficiently and more effectively. The new companies have no interests in Manchuria, Hongkong, Macao and Indo-China. There will be no change of trading names in Hongkong, Macao and Kowloon Chow Wan.

Two of the following frequencies and wave-lengths will be used simultaneously, but the wavelength may be changed in the course of each day's transmission. Announcements will be made at frequent intervals.

Call sign Frequency Wave-length  
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GSP 15.140 k.c. 19.82 metres  
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GSD 11.750 k.c. 22.65 metres

7 p.m. *Big Ben.* The Pump Room Orchestra. Relayed from the Pump Room.

7.45 p.m. Talk: "Under Big Ben." Mr. Howard Marshall.

8 p.m. The Rutland Square and New Victoria Orchestra. Relayed from the New Victoria Cinema.

Daventry programme will be broadcast to-night as follows:

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GSD 11.750 k.c. 22.65 metres  
GSP 10.010 k.c. 21.45 metres  
GSA 6.650 k.c. 49.50 metres

7.45 p.m. *Big Ben.* The Pump Room Orchestra. Relayed from the Pump Room.

8 p.m. The Rutland Square and New Victoria Orchestra. Relayed from the New Victoria Cinema.

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GSA 6.650 k.c. 49.50 metres

7.45 p.m. *Big Ben.* The Pump Room Orchestra. Relayed from the Pump Room.

8 p.m. The Rutland Square and New Victoria Orchestra. Relayed from the New Victoria Cinema.

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GSE 11.845 k.c. 22.25 metres  
GSP 11.750 k.c. 22.65 metres  
GSA 6.650 k.c. 49.50 metres

7.45 p.m. *Big Ben.* The B.D.G. Dance Orchestra. Directed by Henry Hall.

8.30 p.m. *Dance Music.*

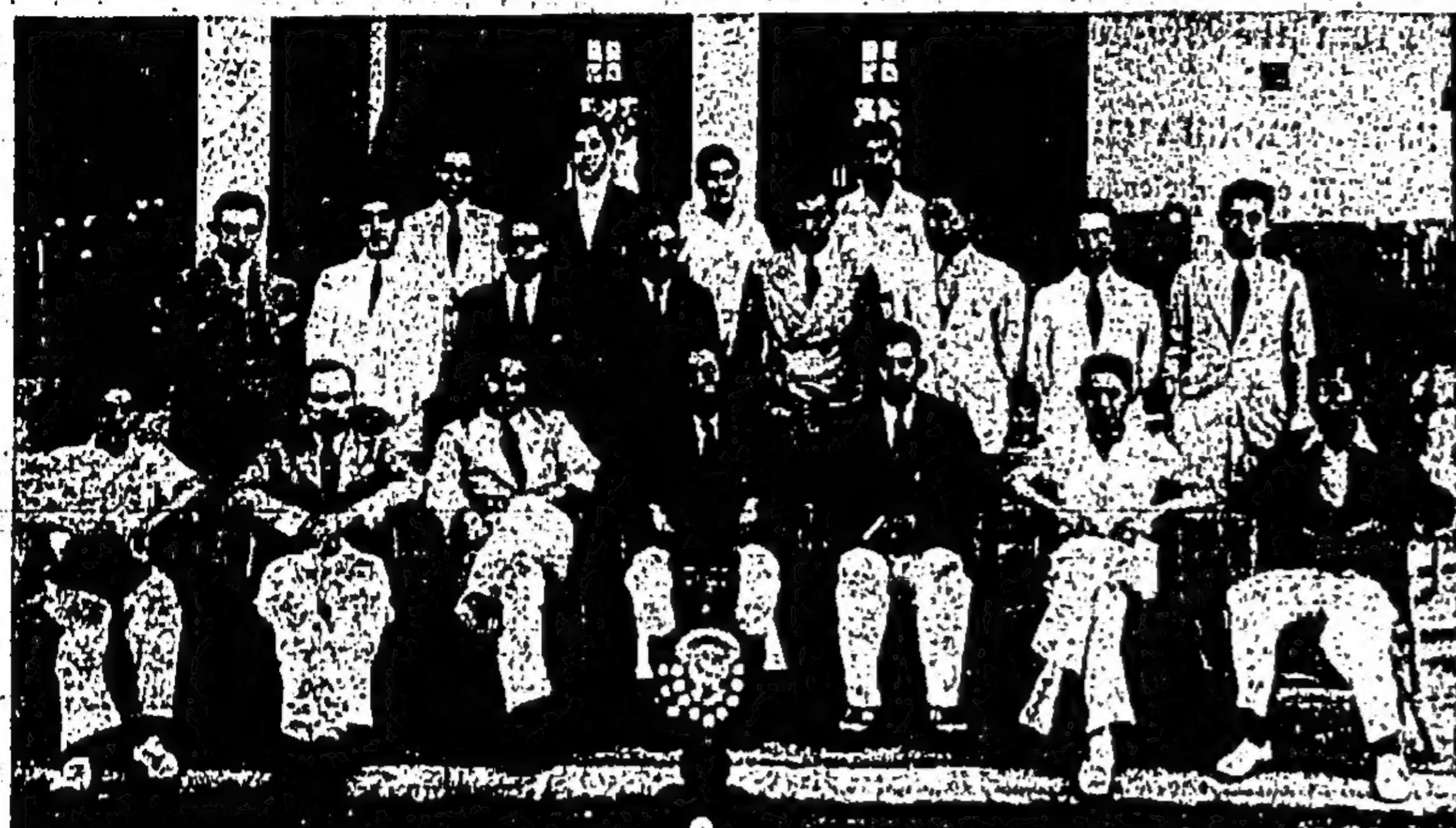
8.45 p.m. *Drama.*

9.15 p.m. *Vocal Solo.*

9.45 p.m. *Evening.* Relayed from West.

# RUGBY PROSPECTS OF THE THREE HOME SERVICES

## I.R.C. LAWN BOWL PLAYERS



The Indian Recreation Club caused no small sensation in Lawn Bowls circles this year by winning the Junior Championship. They entered the competition for the first time last year and at the end of the season were at the bottom of the League Table. The above photograph shows the I.R.C. players. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

## Thumb-Nail Sketches Of Women Cricketers

### FIFTEEN ENGLISH PLAYERS ON WAY TO AUSTRALIA

**London.** The women's cricket team, which left England on October 19 for a tour in Australia, will arrive in Colombo on Armistice Day, and it is hoped to arrange for them to play a match there.

The fifteen members of the team are paying their own expenses, and will return via Panama, reaching England on April 3. Here are thumb-nail sketches of the players supplied by Miss V. M. Cox, Hon. Secretary of the Women's Cricket Association:

**E. Archdale**, captain, a good bat, studying for the Bar. Specialises on International Law.

**E. Snowball**, vice-captain and wicket-keeper. The finest wicket-keeper in women's cricket, and a good opening batswoman. On the staff at St. Swithun's School, Winchester.

**M. Maclagan**, opening batswoman, makes many runs, with a very good defence and endless patience. Good field and medium pace bowler.

**M. Hide**, a very good all-round, quick scoring bat, excellent field, and good medium to fast bowler. Taking the Agricultural Course at Reading University.

**J. E. Partridge**, sound careful bat, excellent point or slips. On the staff at Wycombe Abbey School.

**M. E. Taylor**, the fast bowler, and good off-field. Secretary in a London business house.

**D. M. Turner**, another medium to fast bowler, good field. Secretary in a London business house.

**J. Liebert**, a young all-rounder. Studying Art in London.

**C. Valentine**, a bowler, fast off the pitch, good field, sister of B. H. Valentine, the Kent County G.C. vice-Captain.

**D. Spear**, medium to slow bowler, very accurate. Student at Dartford Physical Training College.

**G. A. Morgan**, second wicket-keeper. Accurate and neat bat. A Civil Servant in the Ministry of Health.

## K.C.C. CRICKET

### Teams For Inter Club Game

The following teams have been selected to take part in the Kowloon Cricket Club Inter Club League match on Sunday commencing at 10.30 a.m.:

**F. E. Lawrence**, (Capt.), R. Lee, V. A. Durling, B. Lay, E. F. Fincher, F. Broadbridge, S. A. Gray, S. Jex, Mulcahy, M. R. Swain, L. A. Oppenheim, J. Fraser, W. C. Excell.

**E. C. Fincher**, (Capt.), F. S. W. Smith, W. L. Mackenzie, P. O. Dunne, A. W. Ramsey, Geo. Lee, R. E. Lindell, G. A. V. Hall, D. S. Green, A. Phillips, C. L. Gregory, A. Wright, H. L. Langley.

Three points will be awarded for win and one point for a draw.

**CRAGENGOWER TEAMS**

The following have been selected to represent Cragengower Cricket Club in first and second division friendly fixtures with the I.R.C. on Saturday, Nov. 3rd:

**1st XI—I.R.C. Ground**—A. B. Hamson, (Capt.), F. R. Zimmerman, F. K. Lee, E. C. Barry, L. Hubbard, G. Souza, G. A. Lee, A. R. H. Esmaili, J. L. Youngage, A. Kitchell and J. W. Leonard.

**2nd XI—Home Ground**—W. K. Way (Capt.), C. W. Lam, A. Hunt, J. R. Luke, N. Broadbridge, E. B. Hamson, Y. Abbas, G. Lal, E. Souza, C. E. Wong and E. S. Cunningham.

## THE YANKEE TO VISIT COWES

### To Race With "J" Class Yachts

**London.** The announcement that Mr. Gerard Lambert will bring the sloop Yankee to Cowes next year has afforded pleasure to all lovers of the sport in this country. Mr. Lambert has just brought the yacht which many believe is a better boat than Rainbow.

No American sloop has visited Cowes Regatta for forty years. During that time seven English cutters have raced in America—Valkyrie III in 1895, Sir Thomas Lipton's five Shamrocks in 1899, 1901, 1903, 1920 and 1930, and Mr. Sopwith's Endeavour.

There is a general feeling the Americans should make a return visit. Not only is the Yankee a most suitable craft but her new owner is a representative of American yacht racing who will command the esteem of British yachtsmen.

The sporting, cheerful, light-hearted and delightfully social races of the British coast should appeal to him. In these events, from year to year, the King's yacht Britannia and the various cutter-yachts of somewhat similar size Endeavour, Velsheda, Shamrock, those yachts now called "J" class, and Candida and Astraea together, taking up, it were, the "rough with the smooth."

It is in these matches Mr. Gerard Lambert would join with Yanke.

Only veterans can remember the last visits of the American sloops Navaho and Vigilant in 1893 and 1894. The memory of the great races they sailed with Britannia, then owned by Edward Prince of Wales, and Valkyrie, Satinath, and Calluna still lives. It is high time another American competitor came again.

## CANTON TENNIS

### GERMAN CLUB TOURNEY

**Canton, Oct. 31.**

The annual tennis tournaments in the Deutscher Garten Klub have now been arranged. The Men's Singles Championship will be five-set matches and the following players have been drawn to play in the first round:—Botzeller v. Seegelken, von Eesen v. Rode, Watson v. Schneider, Plate v. Wright. The present holder is R. P. Newell, and the holders for 1931 and 1932 respectively were G. Bodiker and E. Precht.

In the Men's Singles, Class B, each player will play 11 games against every player who has entered, and the winner will be the one who scores the most games. The following players have entered their names:—Edwards, Dillner, Nordstrom, Vonkamp, Kuehne, Griesm, Wolke, Bockel, Crutwell.

The Ladies' Singles Championship will be the best of three sets.

Those playing are:—Frau Kanter, Fischer, Janzen, Rode, Koehler. The present holder is Frau Kanter.

A further match is a doubles handicap in which the following are playing:—Frau Kanter and G. Bodiker (50) v. von Eesen and C. A. Wright (50); Frau Fischer and C. E. Watson (30) v. Plate and Seegelken (15); Frau Rode and Rode (30) v. Edwards (30); Frau Schneider and E. Dillner (30). Our Own Correspondent.

## ARMY FAVoured FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP

## NAVY'S INTERNATIONAL STAND OFF OUT

### R.A.F. OPTIMISTIC NOTE

Once again this season the Army will have a rugger side which is almost up to international standards, and they must undoubtedly start as favourites for the Inter-Services Championship. Army Rugby football has always been endowed with super-abundance of really good footballers, and herein lies the reason for the Army's superiority over the other two Services, for their reserve strength is enormous.

Below the prospects of the Royal Navy, Army and Air Force for the current season are reviewed.

**London.** The Royal Navy start the season with an exceptionally large number of players who have taken part in inter-Services matches. Last year the fixture with R.A.F. unfortunately clashed with the England and Ireland international match, with the result that substitutes had to be found to fill the places of those who were playing for their respective countries. Actually this was a blessing in disguise, for several young players gained some valuable experience of representative football.

The departure of Lieutenant W. Elliott, the English international stand-off half-back, to the Mediterranean Fleet is something in the nature of a calamity, but Sub-Lieutenant J. S. W. Walsham (H.M. S. Iron Duke) proved himself to be a very efficient substitute for Elliott in the match against the R.A.F., and no anxiety is being felt on this score.

Lieut. D. A. Cotman (Blockhouse) will probably work the scrum. The three-quarter backs are for the most part young, and, with last season's experience behind them, should show an all-round improvement. Midshipman P. D. Lewis (R.N.E. College, Keyham), who has had Welsh trial, has already given ample proof that he has lost none of his form. Sub-Lieutenant (Eng.) J. P. Kirkby, placed in the other wing, is not so secure for Lieutenant G. M. Headon, who is a strong runner and now a regular member of the Port Arthur Services' side, but there is a real possibility that he will be posted abroad early in the New Year, in which case the vacant side will appear to rest between H. P. L. Glau (Sherwood Foresters) and R. W. Bowd (Lister Rifles), another member of last year's Sandhurst side whose defensive kicking is good, and who has a very quick eye for an opening.

The scrummage half-back position will be filled by G. J. Dean (Royal Tank Corps) or F. W. Simpson (Royal Engineers), both of whom have been on the verge of international honours for years past.

**STAND-OFF HALF PROBLEM.** At present the filling of the stand-off half-back position presents the chief difficulty, C. C. McClelland (Royal Artillery) is still stationed at home, and is good enough to take his place in any first-class side, but there

is a real possibility that he will be posted abroad early in the New Year, in which case the vacant side will appear to rest between H. How (Royal Tank Corps) may be sent abroad before the inter-Services' matches take place, and his loss to the pack would be a great one, but the Rev. V. J. Pike (Royal Army Chaplains' Department), an Irish international, D. A. Kendrew (The Leicestershire Regiment), an English international, and Sergeant A. Boat (Welsh Guards), who came very close to international honours last season, are available to form the foundation of the pack. To fill the remaining places the selectors will be faced with the difficult task of choosing between Private L. R. Morgan (R.A.M.C.), P.G. Hobbs (Royal Artillery), H. J. Sayers (Royal Artillery), A. J. A. Watson (The Queen's Royal Regiment), E. T. Offord (Royal Tank Corps), and W. P. Hobbs (Royal Artillery), who has recently left the R.M.A. and who will certainly carry on the great traditions of the Hobbs's family.

**CORLING AT BLACK.**

Lieutenant (Eng.) C. G. Gosling will probably be the back, for although a shipbuilding course will keep him out of the earlier matches he will be available for the representative games, and the team selector would have to look far to find a better full back.

Lieutenant-Commander J. W. Forrest (H.M.S. *Caron*) will probably captain the side and lead the forwards, and with Marine C. Webb, another English international player and Paymaster Sub-Lieutenant J. H. Watkins, who will undoubtedly be considered by the English Selectors to be the best of the pack, which should uphold the high traditions of the Navy's forwards.

To fill the remaining places in the pack should not be difficult, for in the Engine Room Artificer H. S. Doggett, Schoolmaster D. J. Tarr and Macino Light the team selector has at his disposal three good, honest, and hard-working forwards, while Sub-Lieutenant R. J. Stephens and Lieutenant R. J. L. Hammond can be relied upon to provide the required weight and enthusiasm in the scrummages.

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**BEAMISH AS SKIPPER.** Flying Officer C. Beamish (Eastchurch), the Irish international forward, will captain the side and lead the forwards, and to form the foundation of the pack, he will have at his disposal Pilot Officer C. G. R. Lewis (Duxford), who, in addition to being the possessor of an English trial cap, has had considerable experience with Leicestershire, and Pilot Officer R. H. Waterhouse (Donibristle). It is impossible to forecast the remainder of the pack with any accuracy, but Leading Aircraftman W. E. Simmonds (Henlow) has recently returned from abroad and is playing as well as ever. Sergeant J. S. Signal (Duxford) is also available to assist Waterhouse in the front row of the scrummage, and Pilot Officer R. H. S. McConnell (Calshot) showed considerable promise last season as a winging forward.

There should be little difficulty in building up a really good three-quarter line. Flying Officer H. W. Monaghan (Abingdon), who has played in the centre for Richmond and Sussex, has recovered from the injury which kept him out of the game for the greater part of last season.

Flying Officer H. J. H. de Good (Abingdon) was also handicapped by injuries, but he too, is quite fit again while Pilot Officer N. G. Maholland

## PONY TRAINING TIMES

### THIS SEASON'S GRIFFINS TRAIN FOR ST. LEGER RACES.

#### ABLE AMAZON IN GREAT FORM.

Because of the running of the three St. Leger classics on November 17, some of this season's best griffins in both the Australian and China pony divisions, including Able Amazon, Mulny Bay and the champion sub Copper Idol, galloped yesterday morning at Happy Valley over the medium distance in preparation for the November classics. These ponies may be resting for the meeting this week.

Flying Tourist is not a bad proposition for the "C" Class race, after his fine gallop yesterday with a good finish of 31.4 secs. Soldier of China covered a mile in fast time, and will be taken out by S. N. Pan. Night Star finished a six furlong gallop in effortless fashion, with a last bit of 28 secs.

Notable runners include the following ponies: King's Fancy, King's Bounty, Burgomaster, Brechin, Bobnik Star, Racing Boy, Ribble and Tiny Star. Details of other gallops appear below:

	1st Distance Qr.	2nd Or.	3rd Or.	4th Or.	5th Or.	Last Qr.
Able Amazon .....	1 1/4	30.2	1.10	1.43.4	2.16.3	2.46.3
Sndko .....	1 1/4	37	1.13	1.47.4	2.14.	34.4
Woodland Stag .....	1	37	1.12	1.47.4	2.14.	29
Gladiator .....	1	38	1.13	1.47.4	2.18.2	30.3
Ebony Idol .....	1	37	1.13	1.46.2	2.21	32
Soldier of Germany .....	1	37	1.14	1.49	2.21	32
King's Bounty .....	1	38.2	1.10	1.50.3	2.18.3	29
Mulny Bay .....	1 1/4	38.3	1.14.1	1.47.2	2.20	2.40.1
Night Star .....	1 1/4	31.3	1.02.2	1.30.3	2.28	28.1
Copper Idol .....	1 1/4	35	1.10	1.48	2.23.2	2.56.2
Classic Hall .....	1	38	1.10.2	1.58.1	2.25.3	32.2
Wayward Stag .....	1	51	1.27	2.00.3	2.32	31.2
Burgomaster .....	1	37	1.14	1.50	2.21	31
Solar Star .....	1	40	1.25	2.00	2.31.2	31.2
Don .....	1	40	1.25	2.00	2.31.2	31.2
Wonderful Stag .....	1 1/4	36	1.08.2	1.39.2	2.20	28.4
King's Fancy .....	1	38.3	1.08.3	1.37.2	2.20	31
Brechin .....	1 1/4	41.2	1.18	1.52.3	2.26	2.55
Bobnik Star .....	1	31	1.01	1.20	2.28	28
Macaroni .....	1 1/4	37.3	1.12.2	1.44	2.24	31.3
Lemberg .....	1	37.3	1.12	1.44	2.24	31.3
King's Warden .....	1	34.2	1.09	1.40.3		

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MILK "FEDERAL" Size 1½ lbs		.14
MILK "DARICOLD" Size 1½ lbs		.14
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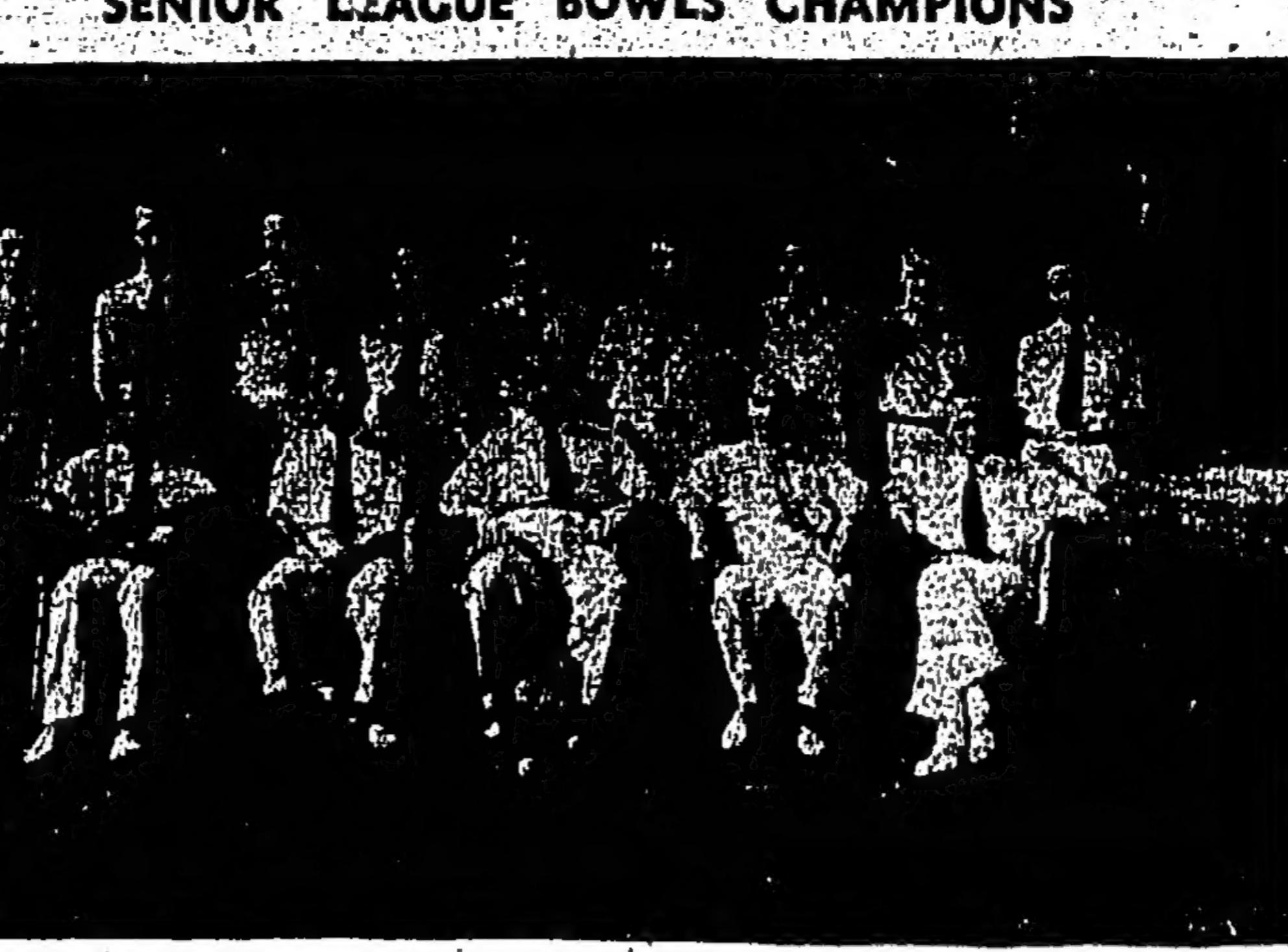
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## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



## FOUL PLAY!

By Blosser



Above is a photograph taken at the recent "At Home" of the Craigengower Cricket Club team which won the Senior Lawn Bowls Shield this year. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

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"The idea of holding an open lawn tennis championship similar to the open championship at golf is dead—at least for the present."

These were the words of W. T. Tilden, who as an amateur won the championship at Wimbledon in 1920, 1921, and 1930 in the course of an interview at Southport recently.

As a professional Tilden has organized professional tours and matches all over the United States and Europe and is now leading in the first international professional tournament held in this country at Southport.

"Two years ago an open championship appeared to be almost a certainty," said Tilden, "but this year the International Lawn Tennis Federation, the body that decides this question, by a huge majority voted against amateurs competing against professionals.

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New York, Oct. 31, closing a deal estimated to involve the expenditure of \$100,000, the New York Giants baseball club has announced the acquisition of Dick Bartell, star shortstop of the Philadelphia Phillies.

This is the first major move on the part of the Giants' club to improve their infield and find a place in the race for the 1935 pennant.

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LOTT  
AND  
STOELENMAY BECOME  
PROFESSIONALS

New York, Oct. 31. George Lott and Lester Stoeften, holders of the U.S. and Wimbledon Doubles Championship, and U.S. Davis Cup doubles players, are considering entering the professional ranks.

A statement to this effect was made by Mercer Beasley, the Coach for the U. S. Davis Cup Team, last night.

If the information is correct, it will mean that the United States will have to find another doubles' pair for the challenge against Great Britain for the Davis Cup next year.

Beasley is inclined to the view that Donald Budge, the eighteen-year old Junior Champion of the United States, and Gene Mako, also eighteen years old, and runner-up in the Junior championship, would make an ideal pair.

Budge and Mako, although they have not yet played against Internationals, are said to have developed into a formidable pair, and hold the Californian doubles championships. —Reuter.

finalist, the bulk of the money.

"Then we shall have real competition, which, after all, whether it be amateur or professional, is the lifeblood of the game."

Tilden said he believed that there was big money to be picked up for good exhibition matches, even in this country.

FRIENDLY  
HOCKEYST. ANDREW'S LOSE  
TO H.K. CLUB

In a friendly hockey match, which was not productive of any brilliant play, the Hongkong Hockey Club seniors defeated St. Andrew's Club by two goals to nil on the home ground at King's Park yesterday afternoon.

Changes were made in both teams. H. O. Bramble and P. H. Senior were absentees from the Club forward line, E. C. Fincher and A. A. R. Botelho substituting. R. A. Carroll was absent from the Saints' right wing, A. S. Bliss being brought up from right-back to fill the position. F. A. Broadbridge deputised for Bliss in the defence.

The Saints commenced with only ten men, E. H. P. White their left-winger being a late arrival. During his absence, the Club scored two goals through J. W. Pote-Hunt, playing on the left wing, and J. L. Tetley. The latter obtained his goal from a neat pass from E. C. Fincher, playing on the right wing.

C. L. Gregory, the Club goalkeeper, brought off a good left-handed save from a shot from one of the Saints' forwards, and, shortly afterwards, N. Mackay had hard luck to be robbed when in the dee. R. Baldwin, in the second half, made a splendid run down the left wing and sent in a hard shot that just missed the mark.

W. Reid, in the pivotal position, played a good game for the Club, while J. Rodger, at left back, was also in form. For the Saints, Broadbridge and White were the outstanding players.

## MAMAK GAME

On the Marina ground yesterday afternoon, the Royal Corps of Signals defeated the University by two goals to one in a Mamak Hockey Tournament match. The University scored first through Goon, but in the second half, the Signals rallied and scored two goals through Martin and Farrell.

## RADIO CLUB'S TEAM

The Radio Sports' Club, Cosmos Team, will meet Queen's College today at Caroline Hill in a friendly game of hockey. The following will represent the Club:

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**BEACH CLUB GIRL**

By MABEL McELLIOTT

**CHAPTER XLV**

Veronica Kerrigan twitted a fresh pillow-slip in place and glanced down the hall in the direction of the hospital sunroom from whose open doors echoed gusts of merriment. Young Mr. Van Sciver's wheel chair was established there, cheek by jowl with the Boston farras and the old lady in 316, who was convalescing from a gall bladder operation and who enjoyed a good story when she heard one.

Veronica was on duty days now, taking care of Mr. Van Sciver. His day nurse, Elsie Goff, had been called home by the illness of her father—providentially. Veronica thought. She had never had a patient she liked so much as Mr. Van Sciver. Good-looking, rich, considerate, a perfect gentleman, she said to herself, if ever there was one.

Just why that flamed of his, that blond girl from Larchneck, didn't sing for joy because she'd been so lucky as to snag him, Veronica simply did not understand. She herself got down every night on her knees and prayed to St. Joseph to find her a good husband. She had a small metal image of the saint strung around her neck this very morning, on a thin silver chain. And all she'd ever got for it (up to date) was the attention of Will Schultz, who ran a garage in New Martin and wasn't half bad if you overlooked his grimy fingers.

Miss Raeburn (if you asked Miss Kerrigan if she'd known her) was pretty keen on that dark chap who ran her up to the hospital in his patly little roadster. Mr. Van Sciver had a long lean greyhound of a car. Maybe Will wouldn't like to get his fingers on it some day! She'd told him about it and he'd been interested. It was about all he ever was interested in—gadgets and differentials and spark plugs and such stuff! Hardly ever read a book and didn't know Joan Crawford from Norma Shearer. Miss Kerrigan harboured the secret conviction that she, herself, was a discreet combination of the two. She and Mr. Van Sciver talked about movies a lot. He liked so many of the pictures she did. Wasn't that funny?

He'd be going home soon and she'd miss him. His chauffeur had driven up that very afternoon in the long car and taken away the music box and about a ton of personal equipment his mother had sent up before she left for Florida. Miss Kerrigan sighed, considering an existence in which town houses, foreign motars and hampers from Hick's figured largely. How nice it must be to be rich! Not that she liked Mr. Van Sciver because of his money—far from it. If he hadn't a penny he'd still be the dearest boy in the world.

She flushed because the floor head standing in the doorway and smiling indulgently seemed to be reading her very thoughts. The Head was a sculptured beauty who had no use for men at all, although she had been known to waste 16 minutes chattering to Edward Van Sciver when there were no emergencies to take, nor patients' families to smooth down.

"Your patient wants to come back," she said.

Miss Kerrigan fairly flew down the hall. Edward was walking now,

slowly and with difficulty. He had a cane but it was little Miss Kerrigan who peeped prettily underneath his arm on the left side. It was Miss Kerrigan who steered him over the worn place in the matting.

"You did that beautifully, just bee-yoo-tifully," she cooed.

"Oh, I'm getting there all right, Her heart went pit-a-pat when he looked down at her like that.

"What's for supper?" She handed him the menu. Now Martin Hospital was proud of its methods. As up to date—more so, she was proud of saying, than any of the city institutions.

Edward groaned, contemplating the list. "Same old groceries," he said. "Roast lamb, roast beef, Chicken fricassee."

"They're lamb chops, too," urged Miss Kerrigan in a maternal cooing voice. "If they're not sizzling I'll pep yours up in the diet kitchen."

"Will you do that?" He gave her hands with his firm, competent fingers, a little squeeze. "There's a good girl!"

As she fluttered down the hall she treasured the thought of that impulsive little gesture. Probably it didn't mean a thing, though. He was just great big kid.

When Boots came the next night she was alone. Dents hadn't telephoned. She had come down on the odd pathos.

She saw the instant she met Edward's eyes that she needn't tell him. He had the papers strewn all over his bed. He grinned broadly.

"Some luck, eh? Some fun!"

"Isn't it too marvellous?" She leaned over his shoulder, staring down at the picture of her mother above the headline.

"Suburban Matron Wins Prize in Charity Sweepstakes."

"Never got such a kick out of anything in my life," he told her.

Oaf brought the papers up with supper and you could have knocked him over with a breath when I read the news. I've been rooting for your mother ever since."

Miss Kerrigan, straining in on her heat wave shoes with their discreet rubber heels, gave Boots a frosty smile. She, too, had read the story. Some folks have everything, she told herself, indignantly.

"Did Dinny call you?"

Boots felt her heart beat faster at the mention of his name. "No, he didn't. Why?"

"Oh, he's got sand in his shoes again, wants to light out. This time it's to be a tramp steamer for the West Indies or some place. He ran in the moonlight. He's packing his stuff. Says he's gone stale and can't write."

There was a lump of ice where Boots' heart had been. She managed to say naturally enough, "I guess he never stays in one place for long. But how about Kay Chillingford? I thought he was waiting around for her to come back!"

"Oh, that's all off—has been for weeks," Edward told her. "They hadn't been hitting it off so well when she left and she'd written him a lot of sour letters. Dinny said they'd about decided to call it a day. She's marrying some dusty old member of

the family."

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parliament or something. Lady Swizz-Bang." He chuckled.

So all the time she had chatted him about Kay he'd known this and hadn't told her. Why?

Edward touched her face lightly with a well-manicured forefinger. "We'll miss the old kid, won't we? He's a good guy."

"Oh, terribly!" She tried to be casual but the effort did not come as well as she'd planned.

"Well, what about the folks—have they made any plans?" I suppose Mother is married, remembering.

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Solution to Previous  
Contract Problem

By W. E. McKenney

To-day's is not a difficult hand, but one in which a great many players would fail. Why? Because they would take an unnecessary, or losing, finesse.

Remember that your first obligation is to make your contract, extra tricks come later. Contract is not a game of potty advantages. The extra .30 or .60 points that you might make mean nothing in comparison to the loss you suffer if you fail to make your contract.

Therefore, why try to pick up the king of trump?

South is justified in opening the contract with one spade, even though he holds only 2½ primary tricks.

He does have a six-card

trump suit, and the basis for making an original bid in contract is a six-card suit with 2½ primary tricks.

If you only have a five-card suit, you need three primary tricks, and a four-card suit, which becomes the defensive type hand, requires 3½ tricks. Of course a hand with two five-card suits is an aggressive type and can be opened with 2½ primary tricks. If one suit does not fit your partner's hand, all probability the other one will.

To-day's hand was played in the Western States tournament, recently held in Cleveland, by S. B. Fink of Cleveland, who paired with O. S. Enrich and won the R. R. Richards trophy for the Western States Pairs championship. These boys with their teammates, A. L. Siegel and E. J. Babin, all of Cleveland, also won the Meische trophy for the team-of-four championship. Mr. Fink and Mr. Enrich won 24 Master points for these two events, which places them in 22nd position on the National Masters' list.

The Play

West's opening lead was the queen of diamonds. When it held, he continued with the jack, East overtaking this trick with the king so as to lead the king of hearts. Mr. Fink won the trick with the ace of hearts.

Declarer has lost two diamonds and he can see that, if the spade finesse fails, he will lose an additional heart trick to set him.

He has 10 spades in sight. He gives up the possible chance of picking up the king of spades and

makes the safety play in the hand by laying down the ace of spades.

He now starts the club suit. On the third and fourth clubs, he discards his two losing hearts, and all West can make is the king of trump.

The Contract Problem

South is playing the contract at six spades. West opens the seven of hearts, and a small heart is played from dummy. Can East defeat the contract?

♠ A 6 4  
♥ 10 5 4 3  
♦ A Q 8  
♣ A K 8

♠ A 7 3 2  
♥ 7 2  
♦ 9 7 6 3  
♣ 5 3

♠ N  
♥ 8  
♦ 2  
♣ 9

♠ K Q J 10 5  
♥ K 8 6  
♦ 10 9 2  
♣ Solution in next issue 20

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**ASSAULT CHARGE.****EUROPEAN LAND BAILIFF AGAIN IN COURT**

The case in which William Gordon Routley, a land bailiff attached to the Public Works Department, is summoned for the alleged assault of a Chinese woman, Mrs. Lam Yuet-fong, was continued before Mr. J. H. B. Lee at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning and continued through the afternoon.

Mr. Peter Sin represented the complainant, while Mr. F. H. Loeby, of Messrs. Russ and Company, appeared for the defendant.

Sub-inspector Cunningham was recalled and was examined by Mr. Loeby.

Witness denied that the police were taking any part in the prosecution and also denied having given Mr. Sin any information apart from what had been given in his statement. He further denied having told Mr. Sin about a departmental inquiry, except a police departmental inquiry.

At this point Mr. Sin rose and voiced his objection, and stated that it was his privilege as a solicitor to question his witnesses.

Continuing under cross-examination by Mr. Loeby, witness stated that the only information he had given to Mr. Sin was the statements which had been taken from the complainant.

At the commencement of the afternoon hearing, Inspector Cunningham was again examined in the witness-box by Mr. Loeby, and said he did not think it curious that no reports had been made at the police station regarding the alleged kick on the woman's leg by Routley.

Mr. Loeby: Why did you not mention about this kick to Mr. Bidmead?

Inspector Cunningham: I did not give him the full report. I have been perfectly fair to Routley.

Witness then gave details of the procedure adopted by the Police when a report is made at any of the stations.

Doctor's Evidence.

Dr. Yui Chu-kong, medical officer attached to the Kowloon Hospital, then entered the witness-box and in examination by Mr. Sin, recalled that at a previous hearing he had said that he could not understand how a stone make three marks on the woman's leg.

Mr. Sin said that Dr. Durran had given in evidence that the injuries could have been caused, first, by a stone and secondly by the car door.

Mr. Loeby: (To Dr. Yui) Do

**TATTOO TRAFFIC.****LATE-COMERS TO USE PROPER ENTRANCE**

In connection with the Grand Tattoo which is being held at Sookunpoo on November 1, 2 and 3, the public are further notified:

1. Owner-driven cars must not enter Caroline Hill Road at the conclusion of each performance. Owners and passengers should enter their cars at the car-parks.

2. Official cars and chauffeur-driven cars bearing a car-park-label will be permitted to enter Caroline Hill Road from the west end near the Po Leung Kuk, and approach No. 1 Entrance to pick up their passengers as directed by Police. They will only be allowed to halt for sufficient time to enable passengers to embark, but otherwise will keep on the move. If their passengers are not available at the time the cars will make a further circuit of Caroline Hill Road.

3. Cars that arrive later than 8.15 p.m. will be stopped at the junction of Caroline Hill Road and Eastern Hospital Road, where passengers will disembark and proceed to the ground via Eastern Hospital Road and No. 4 (Int'l) Entrance near the Indian Recreation Club. They will not be permitted to go to No. 1 Entrance.

4. A stand for 80 taxis will be provided on the south side of Yeo Wo Street, west of the tram terminus.

You agree that you do not know the difference between scratches made by finger nails and by stones thrown at considerable force?

Dr. Yui: It is hard to tell the difference sometimes.

Mr. Loeby: Is it possible that one of the injuries on complainant's leg could have been caused by her scratching a part infected by skin disease?—It is not possible that the injury was caused by a scratch. Mrs. Lam Yuet-fong then reiterated the witness-box and was cross-examined by Mr. Sin.

Sze-To Hin-yung was the last witness called, and was cross-examined by Mr. Loeby, in regard to his interview with Mr. Bidmead. Witness was asked by Mr. Loeby who was paying the expenses of the solicitor, who was appearing for the complainant. In reply to this, witness said he had only been asked to give evidence, and did not pay any solicitor's expenses.

Witness further said that defendant had not asked for any "squeeze" but his assistant, Teo Pook, had done so.

The case was adjourned until this afternoon.

**CHINESE PRODUCTS.****ANNUAL EXHIBITION AT SINCLERES**

The second annual Exhibition of Chinese Goods was formally opened by Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, the Chairman of the Hongkong Chinese Chamber of Commerce, yesterday afternoon on the 1st floor of the Sincere Company, the ceremony being attended by Directors of the Company, numerous local manufacturers, and prominent residents.

In a speech, Mr. Wong Kwong-tin expressed his appreciation of the invitation extended to him to open the exhibition. He congratulated the manufacturers upon their enterprise and upon the fine products from Chinese factories both in Hongkong, Shanghai, Hangchow and other centres. He hoped that the Chinese manufacturers would emerge progressively and successfully from the trade depression.

Other speakers included Mr. Ma Ying-piu, Managing-Director of the Sincere Company, Messrs. Ip Lan-chuen, Choy Hing, Chin Yu-shan, Mrs. Chan Tit-yan, Mr. Sung Hok-ping and others.

Exhibits represent 59 Chinese factories, many of which are operating in Hongkong and Kowloon, with a total capitalisation of \$30,000,000, employment of 30,000 labourers, 4,000 machines and an annual output estimated at over \$50,000,000.

Bigger Show.

On the whole the exhibition is on a larger scale than the first exhibition organised last year. Many of the stands were most artistically designed by the Advertising Manager of the Sincere Company.

Goods on display include products from the Sincere Company's perfumery factory, and Aerated Water works (Canton), China Can Company, National Paint and Lacquer Company of Hongkong, Great China Penel Company of Hongkong, Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company, China Umbrella Factory of Hangchow, Manfa Printing Ink Company of Hongkong, Meir Silk Mills of Shanghai, Castle Peak Ceramic Company Limited, Wah Sang China Tea Company, biscuits and candy from On Lok Yuen and M. P. San Company, Wing Hosley Company, Wah Tat Chinese and European musical instruments company of Canton, textile goods from many factories operating in Kowloon and Mongkok, China silk waterproof raincoats from the Shing Young Company of Hongkong, mosquito nets from the China National Engineering and Manufacturing Company, books and stationery by the Commercial Press, and snuff goods, toys, chopsticks, enamel goods, electric fans, medical products, rubber shoes, rubber heels and some excellent Chinese silk goods from Shanghai and Hangchow factories, whose names are too numerous to mention.

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Quebec, Oct. 31.  
When an 80-mile an hour gale shrieked across the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the North Atlantic during the past three days, many lives were lost in shipping accidents.

Eleven are believed to have been drowned when the motorship Roy David foundered in heavy seas in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Five of her passengers and six of her crew are missing.

Two of the crew of an unknown schooner were drowned and five were saved when they landed at Picton Landing, on the coast of Nova Scotia. They made shore on life rafts, suffering intensely from their long exposures.

TERRIFIC SEAS.

The liner Letitia berthed at Montreal today and reported an 80-mile an hour gale which raged for three days during the crossing from Liverpool.

Handful foot waves damaged the bridge and companionways, smashed the lifeboats to tinder and drenched the man in the crew's nest a score of times.—Reuter.

RUBBER QUOTA  
DISAGREEMENT

BRITISH AND DUTCH  
ARGUMENT

DIFFICULTY OF  
RESTRICTION

London, Oct. 31.

The Financial Times Amsterdam correspondent states that the failure of the International Rubber Committee to reach an agreement on the 1935 quota has created great disappointment in that city, especially since the scheme was only begun a few months ago.

It is learned in Amsterdam that the clash is probably due to the fact that the British desire 40 per cent. restriction for three months whereas the Dutch insist that it should only be 20 per cent. It is hoped that a compromise may be reached, perhaps at 30 per cent. for three months.

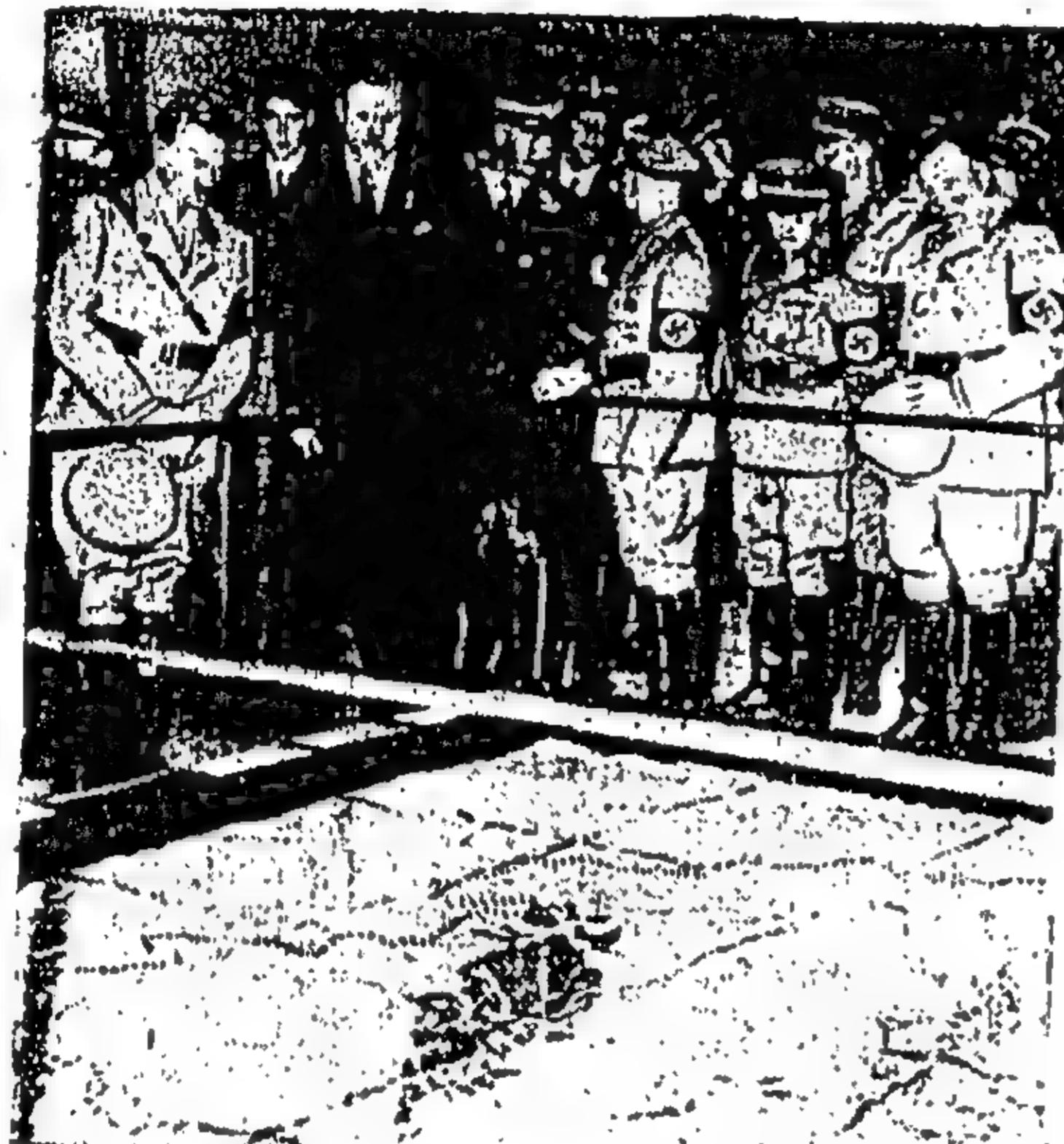
Amsterdam plantation circles consider three months actually is too short a period for restriction, as the companies, especially in Sumatra, will be unable to make the necessary preparations.—Reuter.

CCompromise POSSIBLE.

The Financial Times now learns that the Dutch rubber growers are demanding twenty per cent. restriction and the British thirty. It is understood the Dutch may compromise at twenty-five per cent. but will not consider thirty except in the most pressing circumstances. It is believed that the Dutch rubber chiefs are now discussing the position with Dr. Collin.

The next meeting of the International Rubber Committee won't be convened until there is reasonable hope of agreement.—Reuter.

## BRITAIN WON'T INTERVENE IF INVASION NECESSARY



Herr Hitler recently inaugurated the "German Saar Exhibit" at Cologne. He is here seen, at left, viewing a huge relief map of the Saar region.

## SPIES EXECUTED IN GERMANY

TRIALS  
HELD IN  
SECRET

OTHERS SENT  
TO PRISON

NAMES NOT TO  
BE DIVULGED

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Berlin, Oct. 31.  
It was officially announced to-day that a special German court recently tried and condemned to death the spies of certain foreign powers.

The exact number of the accused in the alleged espionage plot is not known, nor is the number of those executed. Their names, the Government refuses to disclose. They were tried, condemned and executed in secret.

Some of the alleged spies were sentenced to long prison terms, fifteen years each, and only two, guilty in a lesser degree, were sentenced to shorter terms.

The Minister of Justice states that the sentences were passed under the old Code, since the acts were committed before May 2, 1934. Treason has been generally punishable by death only since that date.

However, in these instances the offences were so grave that the death sentence was passed despite the milder laws under which the charge was made.—United Press.

CANADA PEGS  
GRAIN PRICES

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.

It is announced at Government request that the wheat prices in the Winnipeg grain exchange will be pegged from to-morrow.

December futures will be fixed at 75 cents per bushel, and May futures at 80.—Reuter.

YANGTSE PILOTS  
STRIKE THREAT

Object To Fresh  
Examinations

Shanghai, Nov. 1.

The Chinese Shanghai Pilots' Association of the Yangtse River is lodging a protest with the Central Government authorities against the newly promulgated regulation whereby all pilots will have to take examination and certificates will be withheld from those who fail to pass.

The Pilots' Association criticises the regulation as impracticable and threatens to call a strike if the regulation is withdrawn.—Central News.

CANTON  
MAN WINS  
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DREW HORSE IN  
SWEEPSTAKE

BOUGHT TICKET  
IN HONGKONG

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Dublin, Oct. 31.  
In the Irish Sweep on the Cambridgeshire Stakes, Mr. N. S. Lei, c/o Messrs. Reiss, Massey and Co., Hongkong, with ticket No. CH106673, drew Lord Derby's Highlander, which came in third, and therefore won a prize of £10,000.—United Press.

Mr. Lei is Manager of the Young Sing Insurance Company, of Canton, and he bought his ticket from Mr. Funk Pak-nok, compradore of Messrs. Reiss, Massey and Co., of Hongkong.

It is understood that in response to a cable offer before the race, Mr. Lei sold a half-share interest in his ticket for £700. His gains amount to approximately £5,700. In that case, not counting the percentage the ticket-seller may receive.

## BIG ARMY ON FRONTIER

## PREVIOUS WARNING REITERATED

## PARIS DISTRUSTFUL OF NAZI AMBITIONS

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GENEVA, OCT. 31.  
THE ANXIETY OF LEAGUE OF NATIONS OFFICIALS WITH RESPECT TO THE SITUATION IN THE SAAR WAS INCREASED TO-DAY WHEN IT WAS LEARNED THAT FRANCE HAD NOTIFIED GREAT BRITAIN THAT FRENCH TROOPS WOULD BE PLACED AT THE DISPOSAL OF SAAR COMMISSIONER KNOX IN THE EVENT OF AN ATTEMPTED NAZI PUTSCH.

The French forces referred to are understood to be the Sixth and Twentieth Army Corps stationed at Nancy and held in readiness to march at a moment's notice.

It is expected that M. Laval, the new Foreign Minister in the French Cabinet, when he attends the Saar Council meeting on or about November 14, will reiterate the late M. Barthou's proclamation of September 27. At that time the French Foreign Minister gave warning that French troops would march into the Saar if they were needed to enforce order and guard personal liberty on the day of the plebiscite.

"Franco can be called upon to fulfil her very special responsibilities in the Saar," M. Barthou said, and M. Laval will probably echo that assertion.—United Press.

NO NOTE SENT?

Paris, Oct. 31.  
A spokesman of the Quai D'Orsay told the United Press that the Foreign Office formally denies sending any note to Britain warning her that France intends to enter the Saar.

The fact is that the French army is prepared to enter the Saar within two hours in the event of a putsch being attempted, but France has positively sent no note to Britain on the matter.

BRITISH ASSURANCE.  
The Daily Express' diplomatic correspondent states that the French Ambassador at London, M. Corbin, visited the Foreign Office on Tuesday and secured tacit assurance of the British Government that Britain will not oppose an invasion of the Saar if such a thing should prove necessary.—United Press.

## BAD DAY FOR BOOKMAKERS

## RECORD BETTING AT NEWMARKET

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Newmarket, Oct. 31.  
Bookmakers to-day declared themselves harder hit by the victory of Mr. Watney's Wyckwood Abbot in the Cambridgeshire than in any race in the past twenty years.

The winner was second favourite to Spendapenny.

The totalisator pool of £21,235 was a record for any other race at Newmarket.—Reuter.

## U.S. NAVAL EXPANSION ENVISAGED

SWANSON WANTS  
42 MORE SHIPS

BUILDING TO  
TREATY LIMIT

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Washington, Oct. 31.

The Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Claude Swanson, stated to-day that the Navy Department would this year ask Congress for funds sufficient for the construction of forty-two additional warships, regardless of the outcome of the London naval conversations.

The object of the Navy Department would be to bring the American fleet up to treaty limits.

Mr. Swanson says that several thousand additional men will be needed to man the ships which will be commissioned in 1935. The present "crop" of young officers from the Naval Academy is thought to be adequate.

It is estimated that 88,000 to 93,000 men will be required during the next three years to sail the ships the Republic sends to sea, compared with the present naval personnel of 82,500.

EYE ON AIRSHIPS.

In spite of the Akron's fate, the United States Navy still has an eye on the development of airships for peace or war operations.

The Navy will co-operate with Dr. Hugo Eckener, famous commander of the Graf Zeppelin, in demonstration flights with the new German zeppelin, LZ-129 this summer, Mr. Swanson says.—United Press.

CONFIDENCE UNSHAKEN.

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Washington, Oct. 31.

Commander Rosendahl, former skipper of the ill-starred Akron,

## AIRWAYS REACH TOWARDS CHINA

POUND-DOLLAR  
LINK NEAR

Britain Expects  
Stabilisation

Washington, Oct. 31.

An agreement for the stabilisation of the sterling-dollar ratio within a defined area is in prospect, according to informed British opinion. An increasing number of authorities in the Gold Bloc nations favour quick revaluation action.

The present quotations of the Dawes and Young Loan bonds are evidence of British and French speculative opinion that those sums which are due after this half-year will not be paid.

Gold which is being accumulated in India at high prices is being exported to London.—Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.

SIR PHILIP  
SASSOON'S  
OUTLOOK

DEVELOPING OF  
VITAL LINKS

MINISTER'S LONG  
FLYING TOUR

London, Oct. 31.  
Sir Philip Sassoon, the Under-Secretary for Air, is hopeful of an eventual service by Imperial Airways into China. In conversations with officials of the company at Singapore, where great development work is proceeding, he had been led to believe that the difficulties encountered in the scheme for extension of Imperial Airways to China were being gradually overcome.

Sir Philip has just returned from an extended air tour, one of the longest a minister has undertaken, and on landing from Singapore to-day occurred he was particularly interested in the development of aerodromes and landing grounds on the India-Singapore section of the Imperial Airways route into the Far East. This is naturally a vital link in the expanding system.

The Air Ministry had been working for many months, he said, on plans for the development of commercial air transport.

NEED FASTER PLANES.

They had come to the conclusion, he added, that flying times for the routes at present operated must be drastically curtailed. Faster ships seem to be the greatest aim of the industry, he admitted, and in that the ministry was heartily co-operating.

During his tour of the British air network he had often downed and landed at night, Sir Philip went on.

Regular night flying along the air routes will be a more practical proposition in the near future, Sir Philip believes, for already it has been proved perfectly feasible and perfectly safe.—Reuter.

NEW SCHEME IN VIEW.

London, Oct. 31.  
A scheme for the further development of British commercial air transport upon plans for which the Air Ministry, in conjunction with the Post Office and Imperial Airways, have been actively engaged for several months past will, it is hoped, be revealed within the next month or two.

This announcement was made to-day in interview by Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-Secretary for Air, who has just returned from a 19,000-miles flight over fourteen countries and during which he travelled as far east as Singapore and visited the Royal Air Force stations in Egypt, the North-West Frontier and India.

Sir Philip Sassoon's journey was made in seven different types of aircraft, civil and military, and he is convinced that civil air transport must, in the not too distant future, increasingly supplement the old forms of transport. (Continued on Page 11.)

## STOP PRESS

Kuala Lumpur, Nov. 1.  
The Rajah Mudan of Selangor, oldest son of the Sultan, has announced his right of succession. He told an interviewer yesterday:



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### LONDON'S NEW WHITE HALL

#### BIG SAVING IN RENTALS

#### A CHANGING CITY

London, Oct. 9.

Although Waterloo Bridge has been taken down to the tops of the arches neither the design nor the architect for the new bridge has yet been chosen. Dozens of designs have been sent to the County Hall and are to be examined. They have come from architects and engineers and some of them bear names that ensure very careful consideration. The paramount factor is emphasized is "traffic both over and under the new bridge." So far the design most favoured is that of Sir Giles Gilbert Scott which provides for a bridge with five arches to carry six lines of traffic. It would be connected by footways with the Victoria Embankment.

The Cabinet now has the plans before it for a new "Whitehall" to cost £2,500,000 and take six years to build. The site is occupied by Montague House and its neighbours. It runs from Whitehall through to the Embankment. The great block will be a dominating landmark between Charing Cross Bridge and Westminster. There will be room for a staff of 7,000. Nearly all Government Departments could be brought under one roof. It is expected that the Ministry of Agriculture, the Ministry of Labour and the Air Ministry, and possibly the Board of Trade will be transferred. The Cabinet headquarters would remain at No. 10 Downing Street. One result of the new plan will be a substantial saving of rent now paid for Government buildings. This saving has been officially estimated at £150,000 a year.

#### FLAT FEVER.

Curzon Street has caught the flat building fever. So far Shepherd's Market remains untouched by the changes around it. On several occasions of late however, suggestions have been thrown out for making it London's counterpart of Montmartre. The new buildings have sprung up on the old site of the gardens of Lansdowne House tower. A tall new block of flats in Curzon Street is all ready for occupation. A little further on demolition of the building adjoining the bright lights of the Curzon cinema is proceeding.

Big changes are probable near Regents Park. The area concerned is in the immediate neighbourhood of Holy Trinity Church Marylebone. The cost of the contemplated scheme is £300,000. If negotiations which are now in progress between the Crown and certain business interests are satisfactorily concluded this site will be cleared, and it will be built a big block of "economical-luxury" flats. At present the site is occupied by the old and very dilapidated looking houses and other buildings which were vacated two years ago. There has been some complaint because it has become unattractive. Financial conditions have prevented its development until now.

#### EMBANKMENT CHANGES.

Excavations have been begun on the Albert Embankment, immediately facing Thames House, Hillbank, for the foundations of London's new fire brigade headquarters. The building will form a new landmark on the Lambeth side of the river and will represent the latest ideas in housing fire brigades and equipment. It is at the corner of Broad Street and close to the new Lambeth Bridge. The new fire station will provide suites of apartments for the officers and much-improved facilities for drill and handling ladders and motor equipment. When the building is ready it is intended to close the Vauxhall and Waterloo Road fire

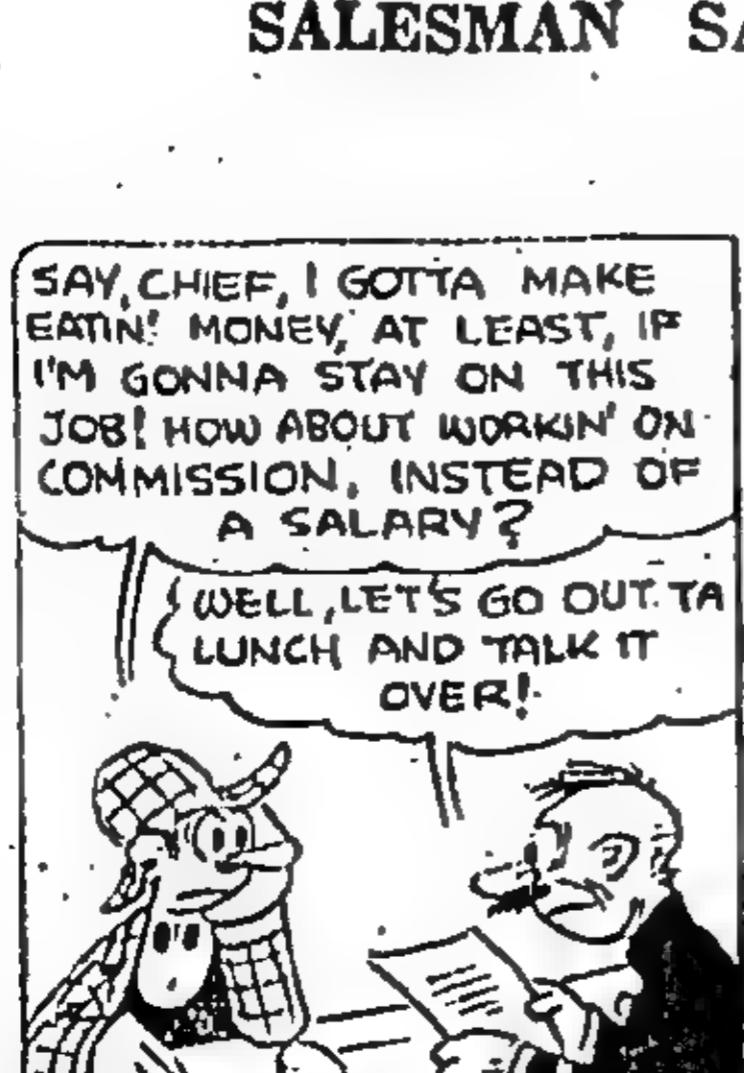
stations, the Battersea Bridge fire-station and the Charing Cross road repair depot.

The York-Adephi Club, the first club for hotel employees in London has just opened its door. Its joint proprietors are two ex-employees of the Savoy Hotel and their premises comprise a floor of 1,600 square-feet in a new building in the Adephi. The membership of the club is open to all, grades for 8s. a year, paid quarterly, and its hundred members include page boys, reception clerks, porters, valets, chefs, cooks, waiters, kitchen hands, and managers. The directors of several London hotels are supporting the club by becoming hon. members, and the proprietors hope to organise games, competitions and football and cricket matches between the hotel staffs.

#### THE INNER CIRCLE.

London's "Inner Circle" celebrated its jubilee this week. Fifty years ago it began as an underground street railway, the first ever designed for the local services of large cities in this or any other country. In those days a journey on the Inner Circle was an adventure from which the awed and grateful traveller was delivered, half deafened and half suffocated by clouds of smoke and steam, and with his face blackened and his mouth full of cinders. He called the line "Vulcan's Way". To-day the Inner Circle, part of the huge organisation controlled by the London Passenger Transport Board, is likely to be reformed. The Board has sought the repeal of the old guarantee of clear and continuous working of the Circle, so as to improve the service in conjunction with the District service. If the Board's plans mature the Circle, as London has known it for fifty years may be no more.

#### SALESMAN SAM.



### FASHION NOTES

#### New Large Flat Berets For Autumn

#### IN CHIFFON VELVET



New hats... large flat beret in thin black felt trimmed with a white bird, and another flat beret in bronze-brown chiffon velvet the brim stitched and the crown encircled by a twisted velvet band.

#### AUTUMN CLEANING

MANY women like to have a special cleaning carried out in their homes at the end of the summer. It is not as drastic as spring cleaning, but there does come a time, when summer is on the wane, when perhaps the curtains look rather faded or too thin, the furniture needs rearranging so that it is nearer the fireplace, and blankets and eiderdowns have to be taken out of their summer hiding-places.

Don't put off autumn cleaning too long. Don't wait for cold mornings before you make your rooms warm and cosy. See that your heating arrangements are in perfect working order; that no draughts can enter a room under a door or through a badly fitting window.

Have plenty of bedclothes and hot-water bottles handy. If your rooms face north or east, substitute thick curtains in warm colourings for the thinner curtains of summer. There is nothing that makes a room more comfortable on a cold winter's night than heavy curtains drawn across the windows to shut out fog and cold winds. There is no need to upset the house by this autumn cleaning especially if you possess a vacuum cleaner.

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Curzon Street has caught the flat building fever. So far Shepherd's Market remains untouched by the changes around it. On several occasions of late however, suggestions have been thrown out for making it London's counterpart of Montmartre. The new buildings have sprung up on the old site of the gardens of Lansdowne House tower.

A tall new block of flats in Curzon Street is all ready for occupation. A little further on demolition of the building adjoining the bright lights of the Curzon cinema is proceeding.

Big changes are probable near Regents Park. The area concerned is in the immediate neighbourhood of Holy Trinity Church Marylebone. The cost of the contemplated scheme is £300,000. If negotiations which are now in progress between the Crown and certain business interests are satisfactorily concluded this site will be cleared, and it will be built a big block of "economical-luxury" flats. At present the site is occupied by the old and very dilapidated looking houses and other buildings which were vacated two years ago. There has been some complaint because it has become unattractive. Financial conditions have prevented its development until now.

#### EMBANKMENT CHANGES.

Excavations have been begun on the Albert Embankment, immediately facing Thames House, Hillbank, for the foundations of London's new fire brigade headquarters. The building will form a new landmark on the Lambeth side of the river and will represent the latest ideas in housing fire brigades and equipment. It is at the corner of Broad Street and close to the new Lambeth Bridge. The new fire station will provide suites of apartments for the officers and much-improved facilities for drill and handling ladders and motor equipment. When the building is ready it is intended to close the Vauxhall and Waterloo Road fire

### Argentine Profits By Ill Winds

#### AMERICA'S TRADE STILL FLOURISHES

#### BALANCE FAR FROM SIGHT

What is the North American wheat growers' loss in the Argentinians' gain, judging by reports from Buenos Aires which explain the effects of the recent drought on the wheat-marketing situation in the Southern Hemisphere.

Argentina is almost exclusively a grain-growing and stock-raising country. It produces large quantities of wheat, corn and linseed, marketing the first two chiefly in Europe and the bulk of the linseed in the United States. When the price of wheat had dropped to a notably low level last November, the Argentine Government, in order to aid distressed farmers, purchased substantial quantities of wheat at 20 per cent. above the prevailing market price.

It was generally expected that the Government would have to take a sizable loss on these wheat transactions, as it had earlier in respect to corn, but developments in the United States and parts of Canada resulting in a marked rise in wheat prices are enabling it to dispose of its wheat without a loss and possibly at a small profit.

A recent report from Buenos Aires reveals that foreign exchange has become exceedingly scarce on the local market, indicating that Argentine grain exporters, including the Government, may be holding the grain for higher prices.

#### PROFITABLE TRADE.

The South American Republic buys approximately twice as much from the United States as it sells in that market. This status holds good both in years of prosperity and adversity. In the peak year 1929, the United States sold to Argentina products valued at \$210,000,000 and purchased Argentine merchandise valued at \$117,000,000. At the lowest ebb of this trade, American exports to the Argentine market were valued at \$31,000,000, while imports from Argentina into the United States amounted to \$16,000,000.

In spite of the difficulties cited, United States trade with Argentina has been on the upgrade since July, 1932. American purchases of Argentine products have increased faster than the latter's buying in the American market, but the improvement in both directions is encouraging.

In 1933, United States exports to Argentina were about 18 per cent greater than in 1932.

Stations, the Battersea Bridge fire-station and the Charing Cross road repair depot.

The York-Adephi Club, the first club for hotel employees in London has just opened its door. Its joint proprietors are two ex-employees of the Savoy Hotel and their premises comprise a floor of 1,600 square-feet in a new building in the Adephi. The membership of the club is open to all, grades for 8s. a year, paid quarterly, and its hundred members include page boys, reception clerks, porters, valets, chefs, cooks, waiters, kitchen hands, and managers. The directors of several London hotels are supporting the club by becoming hon. members, and the proprietors hope to organise games, competitions and football and cricket matches between the hotel staffs.

THE INNER CIRCLE.

London's "Inner Circle" celebrated its jubilee this week. Fifty years ago it began as an underground street railway, the first ever designed for the local services of large cities in this or any other country. In those days a journey on the Inner Circle was an adventure from which the awed and grateful traveller was delivered, half deafened and half suffocated by clouds of smoke and steam, and with his face blackened and his mouth full of cinders. He called the line "Vulcan's Way". To-day the Inner Circle, part of the huge organisation controlled by the London Passenger Transport Board, is likely to be reformed. The Board has sought the repeal of the old guarantee of clear and continuous working of the Circle, so as to improve the service in conjunction with the District service. If the Board's plans mature the Circle, as London has known it for fifty years may be no more.

### PARLOPHONE RECORDS

We are now agents for these records and our first shipment from the monthly releases will arrive shortly.

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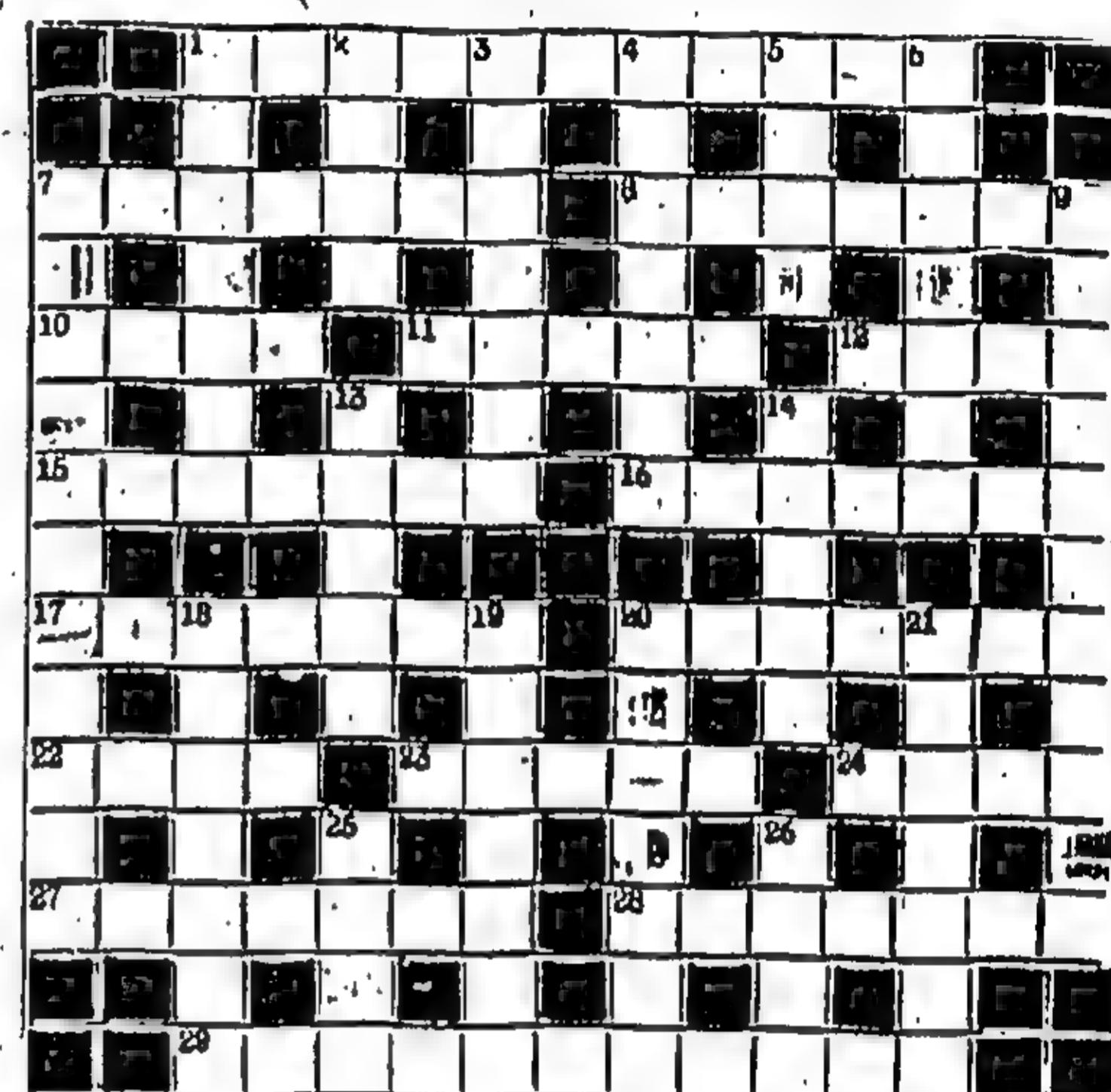
RICHARD TAUBER, JAN KIEPURA, CONCHITA SUPERVIA, LOTTE LEHMANN, LILY PONS, RIA GINSTER, EMANUEL LIST, RONALD FRANKAU, LESLIE HUTCHISON (HUTCH), SOPHIE TUCKER, PATRICIA ROSSBOROUGH, Binnie Barnes, HAROLD RAMSAY; HARRY ROY and His Orch., LOUIS ARMSTRONG and His Orch.

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- 4 Quite like-warm," one observed.
- 5 See "24". Across—but it's in Africa, and no river.
- 6 This sort of man can play many minor parts.
- 7 A split in this West Country town might suggest Gibeon.
- 8 The pure version of a golf result (two words).
- 9 "Whose eye is sharper than the sword, whose tongue outvenoms all the worms of Nile?" (Cymbeline.)
- 10 Unlikely to blow you up at the office.
- 11 Mother joins in a game with Harry.
- 12 Nora changes for the river abroad.
- 13 You'd never imagine a deformed toad would have this result.
- 14 Flowers.
- 15 Another Wednesday. (three words.)
- 16 Down
- 17 A famous operatic.
- 18 He may be fat, yet go flat.
- 19 An old rig still to be found on the Thames.
- 20 A large number on trial for a fight.
- 21 You'll find this in a room with

with a flying start.

But having swallowed a letter produces an extract.

Our bed table is useful, but it would be formidable if overturned.

The big noise in new husbands shows us where we eat (hyphen).

If frozen, there can be no music in them, said the shepherd.

A foreign novelist of fame.

A day at the sales.

Arranged beforehand and a queen's in it.

One of seven apparently, but the question is which (two words).

Species of crane.

South Sea Islands.

Turn certain garments inside out, and find another in them.

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## MOTHER FIGHTS FOR CHILD'S CUSTODY

## MRS VANDERBILT CALLED "UNFIT TO BE A PARENT"

### FRIEND RALLYING

Friends of Mrs. Gloria M. Vanderbilt are rallying to her support. She is fighting in the New York Supreme Court against attempts by relatives to deprive her of the custody of her 10-year-old heiress daughter, Gloria, because she is "unfit to be a parent."

Extraordinary charges about her way of living have been made, and strenuously denied.

Lady Milford Haven (wife of the Marquis of Milford Haven), whose name has been mentioned in connection with the case, stated that she would stand by Mrs. Vanderbilt through thick and thin.

"I cannot say anything definite yet," she said, "as I am going now to see my husband and my lawyer. What I can say, however, is that the allegations I have read are nothing but a set of terrible and malicious lies."

"I don't know yet whether I shall go to the United States, but I think it probable."

The following statement has been issued by Messrs. Charles Russell & Co.:

"Lord and Lady Milford Haven have consulted Messrs. Charles Russell & Co., and a partner of that firm is proceeding to New York to represent their interests and investigate the position."

"In the meantime no further information can be issued."

### SISTER LEAVES FOR NEW YORK.

The former Lady Furness, Mrs. Vanderbilt's sister, left Chebourg for New York in the Empress of



Bishop George Arundale who recently succeeded Dr. Annie Besant as President of the Theosophical Society.

Britain recently to help her sister. She said that she was glad the hearing of the case was postponed as that would give Prince Hohenlohe and herself a chance to tell the real truth about this matter.

Prince Hohenlohe—Prince Gottfried zu Hohenlohe-Langenburg, to give him his full title—arrived for New York in the Bremen later to give evidence on behalf of Mrs. Vanderbilt.

He said that he was taking with him two letters written by his mother to Mrs. Vanderbilt at the time the engagement between himself and Mrs. Vanderbilt was broken off.

"I expect to present these letters to the Court," he said, "and I am convinced that they will have decisive weight as evidence. I reject utterly any suggestion that Mrs. Vanderbilt mistreated her daughter Gloria."

Prince Hohenlohe will be accompanied to the United States by



This is Gloria Vanderbilt whose mother and grandmother are contesting for the right to educate the little heiress. Gloria is happy enough in and out of court.

titled to an open hearing to enable her to demonstrate the falsity of the charges which have been brought against her regarding her mode of life.

One of the witnesses when the case is continued before the Supreme Court was Mrs. Laura Kirkpatrick Morgan, Mrs. Vanderbilt's mother. She is being called to give evidence against her daughter on behalf of Mrs. Payne Whitney, the child's aunt, who contends that Mrs. Vanderbilt is not a fit person to have charge of Gloria.

It is not yet known when the little heiress to £800,000 will be put on the stand. She is regarded as the principal witness in the case, and from her the Court will learn whether she really loves or fears her mother.

Judge Carew has been greatly angered by the number of letters of advice which he has been receiving ever since the case began. He had read none of them, he said, but if the letters did not stop he threatened to fine the writers for contempt of Court.

Miss Constance Bennett, the film star, has offered to give evidence about the character of her friend, Mrs. Vanderbilt, but she has decided that her first duty is towards her husband, the Marquis of Falaise de Coudray, who is ill in a nursing home in Hollywood. She is therefore departing in haste for the Pacific coast, but is willing to fly back to New York if Mrs. Vanderbilt needs her.

### DIAMOND CAPITAL TOWN OF TRAGEDY

During last year thirty-five in every 100 of the coloured population of Port Nolloth, Namaqualand died. The number of people in its slums was almost halved.

This is the most alarming death-rate achieved in South Africa.

Under these conditions, Port Nolloth, once rich, when the Namaqualand copper mines were booming, and even now the capital of the world's richest diamond fields, is a town of tragedy.

### RICH HARVEST IN BRITAIN

London.

Britain, after a year of drought, is reaping a rich cereal harvest.

The corn crops are yielding figures that astonish the crop reporters of the Ministry of Agriculture. Most of these officials have had to revise their valuations and outlook on farming practice in the light of the results of this season's harvest.

Wheat is the best of all cereals cut in the south, southwest and southeast counties,

Sir Alan Cobham, whose attempt flight from England to America to India, failed recently,

## RICHEST FOLK IN HOLLYWOOD

### CHAPLIN'S PROPERTY WORTH \$3,279,230

### LITTLE KINGDOM OF THE STARS

Los Angeles, Oct. 18.—Charlie Chaplin, who owns property valued at \$3,279,230, still is the wealthiest man in Hollywood, according to annual records of the County Tax collector.

"Both my wife and myself are ready and anxious to do whatever we can to help Mrs. Vanderbilt," he said.

### SECRET HEARING REFUSED.

It has been reverted in New York that Judge Carew's offer to hold the resumed hearings of the case in secret has been refused by Mrs. Vanderbilt's lawyer.

He says that his client is en-

gaged in a warped bamboo cane, a pair of baggy trousers, run-over shoes and a tiny mustache, largely in stocks and bonds, although he also possesses his film studio and a large home in Beverly Hills.

Will Rogers, who is William P.

Rogers when he pays taxes, is the

heaviest land owner, with a long

list of properties assessed at

\$122,920. His holdings, including

mules, horses, cows, houses and

cars, are estimated at well over

\$1,000,000.

Greta Garbo, who receives \$300,000 for each picture she makes, recorded also that she received

\$55,100 bonus. Her only taxable

possession was an \$80 automobile,

since her new car was bought too

late for inclusion on this year's

rolls.

John Barrymore's most valuable

possession is his yacht Infanta,

valued at \$59,040, but jewelry,

furniture and other property

raised the total to \$96,440.

Harold Lloyd, who has the big-

gest house in town, owns property

assessed at \$864,545 but it does

not cover so much ground as Will

Rogers' ranch. Joan Crawford's

jewelry, house and furniture are

assessed at \$65,965 and Richard

Barthelmess is put down for

\$109,340.

Constance Bennett is the leading

furniture buyer, with \$43,000

worth assessed against her. Joe

E. Brown's four huge automobiles

helped build up his \$55,610 assess-

ment. Gloria Swanson, despite

her financial troubles, still com-

mands property assessed at \$34,-

630. United Press.

### OPENING UP EUROPE

### AUSTRIA'S NEW MOUNTAIN HIGHWAY

### IMPORTANT TO MOTORISTS

The last section on the Salzburg side of the Grossglockner arterial-road, a highway of vast importance to European motorists, is to be opened officially to-morrow at the so-called Fuerchertobel, nearly 8,000 feet above sea level.

As the road on the Carinthian side is also fully open to traffic, all that remains to be completed is the tunnel through the mountain-top in the so-called scalp section. Owing to the high altitude, work on the road must shortly cease till spring of 1936, so that the road as a whole will probably not be ready till next autumn.

The Grossglocknerstrasse will start at Zell-am-See in the Salzburg province, and will finish at Helligenblut in Carinthia. At Zell-am-See it will receive the main stream of traffic from Western Europe, of which the junction is in Salzburg



Dr. Seth Kenneth Squires and his bride outside Holy Trinity Cathedral after their wedding in Shanghai. The bride, formerly Miss Constance Orr, arrived from England recently and was given away by Dr. E. G. Gauntlett.

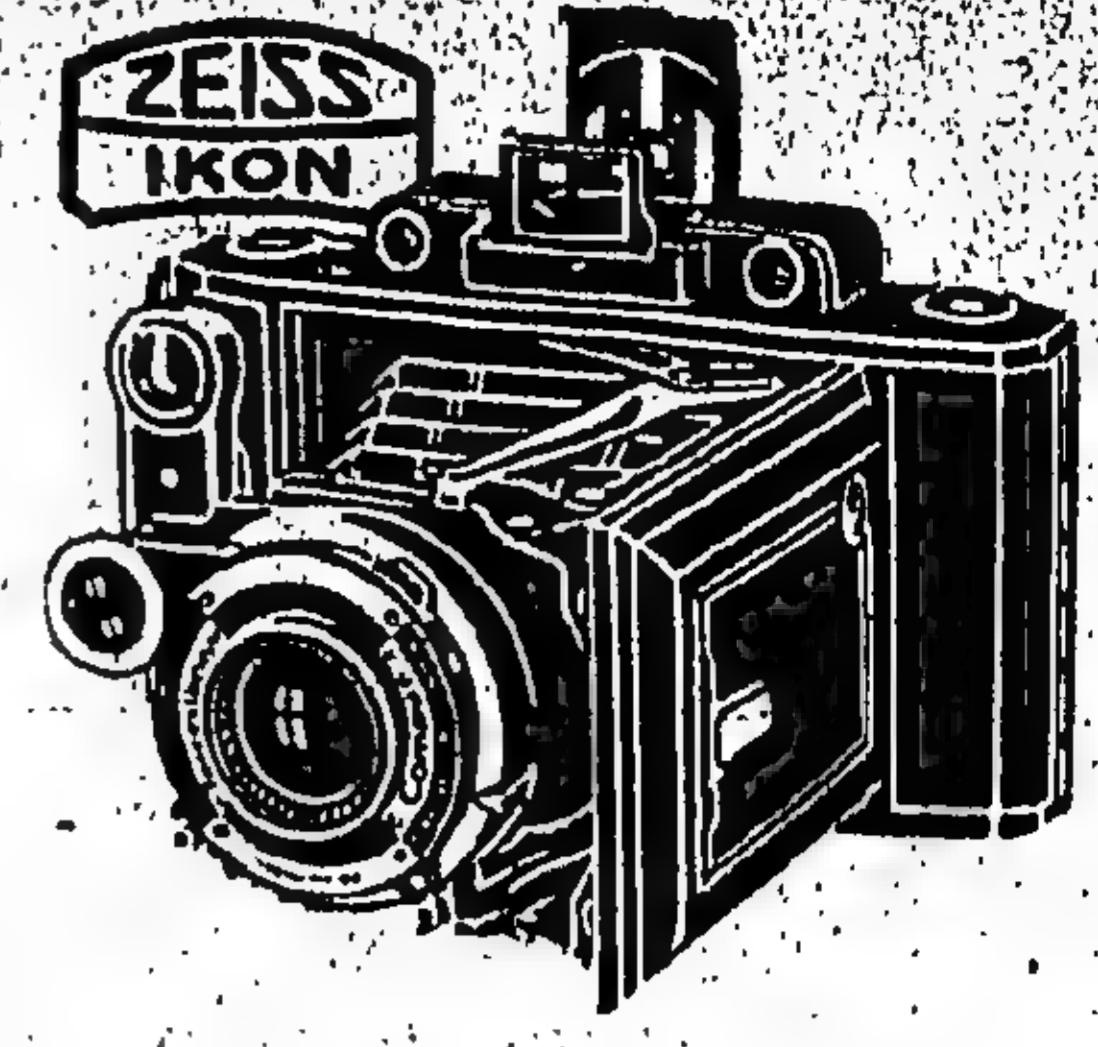


Mr. and Mrs. Alexandre Sakharoff, internationally famous artists, arrived in Shanghai recently. Mr. Sakharoff is, perhaps, the greatest of Russian dancers.



Warning uniforms that might have mobilized the German troops that were sent to Poland are shown reviewing in Berlin. Below: Marshal von Mackensen, attained a Death's Head Hussar, is shown reviewing in Berlin. Below: General von Mackensen, former German cavalry officer, who fell while commanding independent German troops during World War I, attended a military funeral service in Berlin. General von Mackensen, who fell while commanding independent German troops during World War I, attended a military funeral service in Berlin.

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FROM TO-NIGHT, at the Majestic Ball Room, Des Voeux Road Central (opposite Radio Office) Andy and His Famous Band will entertain you with the latest song-hits and biting music. The best evening's entertainment in Hongkong. Hide-hill! Come up and see me sometime.

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

THE HONGKONG & CANTON ICE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Notice to Shareholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTEENTH ORDINARY YEARELY MEETING of the shareholders in the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, 2, Lower Albert Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th November, 1934, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 1st November, 1934, to 14th November, 1934, both days inclusively.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
G. MILNE,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hongkong, 29th October, 1934.

THE ITALIAN CONVENT ANNUAL CHARITY FAIR

On the 3rd and 4th of November, the Italian Convent will hold their Annual Fair on behalf of the poor and invalids; the orphans at Shaukiwan; the creches at Sacred Heart and Namtiao; the free hospital at Wan Chai; the blind girls at Honey Villa-Mt. Davis; Paklulum and the free schools, at Hung Hom, Aberdeen and Mosque Street.

It would interest the public to know that the ticket holders will be entitled to draw their own prizes, among which are hand-made garments, embroidered and painted cushions, scarves, knitted apparel and a large variety of useful and pretty articles.

Our "Special Sale Department" will offer a great attraction to those wishing to buy dainty and hand-made articles for their personal use and for their homes.

In the Side-Stalls there will be interesting and amusing games; home-made confectionery and various imported fruits to satisfy all tastes and a varied assortment of toys. ALL ARE OBTAINABLE AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Entrance Free—All Welcome.

From 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

G. R.

R.

It is requested that all Civil Associations and individuals who wish to place wreaths on the Cenotaph at the conclusion of the Service on Armistice Day, will kindly inform the undersigned, in writing, before 10th November, so that accommodation may be arranged within the Police barrier.

T. H. KING,  
Inspector General of Police.  
Hongkong, 30th October, 1934.

## NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have received instructions that all claims against F. M. L. Soares be sent to the undersigned before the 6th day of November, 1934.

D'ALMADA REMEDIOS & SILVA,  
Solicitor for F. M. L. Soares.

## NOTICE.

British-American Tobacco Company (China) Ltd., British Cigarette Company Limited and Enterprise Tobacco Company Ltd., beg to announce that from this date their businesses in China will be carried on by Yee Tsoong Tobacco Company Limited and Yee Tsoong Tobacco Distributors Limited, but that they will continue to trade in Hongkong, Macao and Kwong Chow Wan, under their own names exactly as in the past.

British-American Tobacco Company Ltd., London and Yee Tsoong Tobacco Company Ltd., also announce that they have appointed Yee Tsoong Tobacco Distributors Limited, to be their Sales Agents in China, with effect from this date.

Hongkong, November 1st, 1934.

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## HUGHES & HOUGH LIMITED.

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction.

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Catalogue will be issued.

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## AVALANCHE!

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Some would sit and some would just—but bless their little hearts—we got them all to sit!

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## POST OFFICE NOTICE

### PARCEL POST.

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3 lb.	7 lb.	11 lb.	22 lb.
\$1.40	\$2.50	\$3.50	\$6.00

H.K. GOVERNMENT RADIO TELEGRAPH SERVICE

It is hereby notified that from November 1, 1934, the charge for telegrams will be collected at the rate of Dollar 0.82 to equal Gold Franc 1.00.

NEW KOWLOON POST OFFICE.

The Kowloon Post Office will open for business in its new premises in Salisbury Road, opposite the Fire Station, at 8 a.m. on Thursday, November 1.

CHRISTMAS PARCEL MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

The Christmas Parcel Mail for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office at Noon on November 9, per a.s. Bhutan. The Public are kindly requested to post early.

This mail is due to arrive at London on December 16.

## AIR MAIL SERVICES.

### IMPERIAL AIRWAYS VIA SINGAPORE.

Bandung-Amsterdam via Singapore, Saigon-Marseilles via Saigon.

Correspondence for Europe and intermediate countries will be accepted for transhipment by these Services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office. All letters etc. must be marked "By Air Mail" and handed in at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office. Unless superscribed for despatch by a specific air mail service, correspondence will be forwarded by the first service available.

### VIA SIBERIA ROUTE.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

### INWARD AIRWAYS.

Straits ..... Malacca Maru ..... November 2.

Manila ..... Pres. Coolidge ..... November 2.

U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 18th October) ..... Pres. Jackson ..... November 2.

Japan ..... Rajputana ..... November 2.

Strait and Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service (London, 19th Oct.) ..... Conta Rosso ..... November 2.

Australia and Manila ..... Tanda ..... November 2.

Saigon ..... D'Artagnan ..... November 4.

Japan ..... Makassar Maru ..... November 5.

Straits ..... Melbourne Maru ..... November 5.

Shanghai ..... Monolulu ..... November 6.

Strait ..... Chonchonmaru ..... November 6.

Shanghai ..... Yasukuni Maru ..... November 6.

Japan ..... Asuncionmaru ..... November 7.

Japan and Shanghai ..... Tashima Maru ..... November 7.

Japan and Shanghai ..... Taiyo Maru ..... November 8.

### OUTWARD AIRWAYS.

Per Date and Time.

Sumatra and Wuchow ..... Chung On ..... Thurs., Nov. 1, 4 p.m.

Port Bäuoy ..... Tinseng ..... Thurs., Nov. 1, 5 p.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., C. Env. of Russia ..... Thurs., Nov. 1.

and S. America and Europe via Vancouver, B.C., and Europe via

Siberia (Parcels for Canada only) ..... Parcels, Reg., Nov. 1, 3 p.m.

(Due Vancouver, B.C., 19th November) ..... Letters, Reg., Nov. 1, 4:15 p.m.

Amoy ..... Letters, Reg., Nov. 1, 5 p.m.

Singapore ..... Sirdhanna ..... Thurs., Nov. 1, 5 p.m.

Friday.

Amoy ..... Tjibadak ..... Fri., Nov. 2, 12:30 p.m.

Singapore, Japan and Europe via Siberia ..... Carthago ..... Fri., Nov. 2, 10:30 a.m.

Holbow and Bangkok ..... Kaying ..... Fri., Nov. 2, 1:30 p.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ..... Hatchin ..... Fri., Nov. 2, 2 p.m.

Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Guinea ..... Fri., Nov. 2.

Zanzibar via Brisbane ..... Parcels, Reg., Nov. 2, 1:45 p.m.

(Due Brisbane, 19th November) ..... Letters, Reg., Nov. 2, 2:30 p.m.

Shanghai ..... Conto Rosso ..... Fri., Nov. 2, 5 p.m.

Saturday.

Letters for Bandung—Amsterdam Air Mail Service ..... Rajputana ..... Sat., Nov. 3.

K. P. O. ..... G. P. O.

**HONGKONG FOOTBALL  
FRICTION****Young Indians Leave  
The League**

The Young Indian Football Club has decided to withdraw from the Second Division of the Hongkong Football League, owing to the attitude adopted by the Emergency Committee of the Hongkong F.A. and the heavy sentence inflicted on one of the Club's members.

In a letter to the F.A. Secretary, the Club refers to the severe censure administered to its Captain by the Emergency Committee at a recent meeting, as well as a warning that if any of the Club's players be ordered off the field in future, the whole team would be suspended.

The Secretary of the Club, in the letter to the F.A., says he cannot guarantee that such incidents would not take place, and says that even in the best regulated teams such unfortunate incidents are liable to happen. "We therefore take this opportunity," he adds, "of withdrawing ourselves from the League, rather than be ignominiously suspended."

**EXCHANGE RATES**

	Oct. 30.	Oct. 31.
Paris	76.21/32	76.17/32
Geneva	15.31	16.28
Berlin	12.38/4	12.36
Helsingfors	226 1/4	226 1/4
Oslo	19.90/4	19.90/4
Athens	515	517
Milan	58.3/10	58.3/12
Buenos Aires	36 1/2	36 1/2
Shanghai	174	173/16
New York	4.08/4	4.07 1/2
Amsterdam	7.37	7.35 1/2
Vienna	27	29 1/2
Prague	10	11 1/2
Bucharest	105	100
Madrid	307.7/16	305 1/2
Hongkong	1.74	1.73
Bangkok	21.28	21.34
Stockholm	19.39/2	19.39/2
Copenhagen	22.39/2	22.30
Lisbon	110 1/2	110 1/2
Bombay	1/2	1/2
Yokohama	4 1/2	4 1/2
Rio	4 1/2	4 1/2
Montevideo	301	393
Belgrade	217	219
Montreal	1.86/5	1.86/4
Silver (Spot)	23.9/16	23.8/16
Silver (Forward)	23.11/16	23.7/16
War Loan	104.15/16	106 1/4

—British Wireless.

**RULES OF SHIPPING**

Nanchang, Nov. 1. Interest is attracted to a resolution adopted by the General Office of the New Life Movement at Nanchang providing that shipping firms be instructed to enforce the New Life Movement rules on board all steamers. Whether this resolution will be applicable to foreign steamers plying in Chinese territorial waters is not known yet.—Central News.

Young Yuk, alias Tau Pei Luk, 56 years, a married woman of 59, Port and Street, first floor, appeared before Mr. E. J. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning charged with entailing a female child, Ho Sung, from her parents. On the application of Detective-Sergeant Allen, the case was formally remanded for one week.

Messrs. Komor & Komor are again holding their Autumn Exhibition of water colours by Japan's creative artists. The exhibition will be open daily from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. for ten days, and all are welcome.

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**OIL MONOPOLY****JAPANESE ACTION CAUSES  
CONCERN IN LONDON**

London, Oct. 31. The Manchukuo Oil Monopoly statement has been most unfavourably received in the City, which points out that the "east iron" nature of the monopoly is in no wise mitigated; also, it is expected that oil will be the precedent and other industries, such as tobacco, are regarded to be the next sufferers.

Many believe that Japan deliberately timed the monopoly to follow the reception of the Federal British Industries' Mission, in order to show foreign powers that they cannot get anything they want from Manchukuo while withholding recognition.—Reuter.

**NEW AIR SERVICE  
COMMENCES**

Kwethua, Nov. 1. The newly established air service between Lanchow and Pao-tou-chen, under the control of the Eurasian Aviation Corporation, is being inaugurated this morning with a first Eurasian plane starting from Lanchow carrying a quantity of mail.—Central News.

**HANSEN AT  
MELBOURNE**

Melbourne, Oct. 31. Lieut. M. Hansen, the Danish aviator, arrived at Melbourne at 11.33 p.m. (G.M.T.) flying a Desoutter Mark II.—Reuter.

**DRIZZLE OR RAIN**

The anticyclone is passing into the Pacific to the east of Japan and a strong anticyclone has formed over N. W. China. An area of relatively low pressure extends from South Manchuria to S. W. Japan. Depressions are centred to the south of Mukden and the northern part of the Yellow Sea, moving eastward. Local forecast:—N. E. winds, moderate, freshening considerably later; fine at first, cloudy with some drizzle or light rain later.

**B. A. T. ASSOCIATES****TWO OTHER COMPANIES  
INCORPORATED**

The British-American Tobacco Company (China) Limited has just incorporated two new associated companies named Yee Tsuong Tobacco Company, Limited, and Yee Tsuong Tobacco Distributors, Limited.

These new companies will take over from to-day, November 1, the businesses previously carried on in China by the British-American Tobacco Company (China) Ltd., British Cigarette Company Limited, and Enterprise Tobacco Company, Limited.

It is learned that this is a scheme of domestic re-organisation whereby it is hoped to carry on business more efficiently and more effectively. The new companies have no interests in Manchuria, Hongkong, Macao and Indo-China. There will be no change of trading names in Hongkong, Macao and Kwong Chow Wan.

**HOUSES AUCTIONED.****BIG DROP IN VALUES ON  
RECLAMATION**

Two houses on the Wan Chai reclamation, Nos. 64 and 66 Lockhart Road, included within the remaining portion of Inland Lot No. 2825, were sold by public auction at the China Auction Rooms yesterday. The new owners are the Hong Yuen Co., whose solitary bid secured them the property at \$21,000.

Built in 1920, and corresponding to the new shop-and-tenement type of concrete building now general on the Reclamation, the houses were originally valued at \$30,000 each. The auction was ordered by the mortgagors, who were represented at the sales by Messrs. Lo & Lo.

**POPPY DAY FUND.  
NEW YORK STOCK  
EXCHANGE****MARKET FIRM  
YESTERDAY**

The following reports on the New York stock market have been received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Frits: The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's markets: Stocks were firm, due to fact that the U.S. Steel Corp. statement was interpreted as no worse than had been expected, perhaps slightly better, owing to the Preferred dividend of 50 cents per share being retained in spite of poor earnings. The market was dull, with Traders holding aloof, due to insignificant leadership. Bonds were irregular, in spite of increasing activity, especially in United States Government issues. Stocks on the Curb Exchange were upward, due to better gasoline situation. Wheat prices eased, due to expectation of favourable reports on Winter Wheat conditions, plus the weakness prevailing in the Winnipeg and Buenos Aires markets on better Argentine crop reports.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: Conditions were practically unchanged in a dull session. The United States Steel Corp.'s third-quarter report shows a deficit of \$9,226,000, before Preferred dividends are paid, against a loss of \$2,117,000 last year. The Westinghouse Electric showed a loss of \$322,000 for the third quarter, against a loss of \$161,000 during the corresponding quarter of last year. The Standard Oil Co. of California showed earnings totalling 40 cents per share during the third quarter, against 30 cents per share last year. Third-quarter sales of 22 industrial companies were up 14%, but profits were off 23%; as compared with a year ago. Gasoline prices show a further scattered recovery. The Bankers' Association and the American Gas Association are preparing to resist further Government interference. Stock Exchange membership is off \$17,000 at \$70,000 for a seat. Business done: 420,000 shares.

New York and Chicago commodity report received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz:—Cotton: The heaviness of October cotton is due to uncertainty regarding restriction next year and the heavy accumulation by the Government which must be sold eventually, together with poor exports and depressing consumption figures. Meanwhile, an incentive for foreign growth to increase continues.

Grains: The heavy surplus of Canadian wheat and favourable conditions in the Argentine, together with the threat of restriction in Winnipeg, discouraged material advances. Informed opinion is that no important restrictions will be imposed on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, which the Governing Committee insist should be a free and open market; however unless, worthwhile damage occurs in the Argentine, the price level of May wheat in Winnipeg will be difficult to maintain. In the meantime, our observer in the Argentine reports considerable red-rust damage. Wet weather there will be harmful to the crop. Win-Jones Averages:

	Oct. 30.	Oct. 31.
10. Industrial	93.05	93.30
20. Rails	34.70	31.78
20. Utilities	19.13	19.17
40. Bonds	93.47	93.20
11. Commodity Index	57.17	58.82
17. Leading Stocks		
Amer. Can		100%

**KOWLOON THEFTS****THREE EUROPEANS  
VICTIMISED**

Three Europeans and a Chinese coolie were the complainants, when two unemployed men, Lei-Fuk-chi, 22 years, and Tsang Chai, 24 years, appeared before Mr. E. J. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, and faced four charges of thefts of clothing. Both defendants pleaded guilty and were sentenced to one month's and six weeks' hard labour on each charge, respectively, the sentences to run consecutively.

Leung Chuen, a "boy" employed at the Harbour View Hotel, was condemned by His Worship for his action in capturing the defendants.

Detective-Sergeant Davies, appearing for the prosecution, stated that the defendants were caught loitering in the vicinity of Hart Avenue, on Tuesday at 2 p.m. When they were taken to the Water Police Station, the first defendant had a shirt and a singlet in his pocket. He was also wearing a suit of clothes which had been stolen from the roof of No. 10 Granville Road, and was the property of Ho Ki, a coolie.

The second defendant was found to have a pair of pyjama trousers, which were rolled up inside the trousers he was wearing. These had been stolen from No. 12 Hart Avenue, and belonged to Dr. McElroy.

Upon being questioned, the defendants, both admitted that they had assisted each other to steal the clothing. The procedure of the thefts was that the second defendant took the clothing.

Other articles comprising a bed sheet and other articles of clothing were retrieved from a marine dealer and a pawnshop and were identified by their owners, Mrs. Harris of 638, Nathan Road, first floor, Lieut. G. Wood, R.N., 14, Hart Avenue, and Ho Ki, 10 Granville Road.

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- B-8051—Colonel Bogey March (Alford)  
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- C-2572—Adagio from Sonata Pathétique (Beethoven)  
March from Les Huguenots (Meyerbeer)  
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- B-8002—William Tell—Overture (Rossini)  
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## NOTES OF THE DAY

### GAME OF CHANCE

It has probably occurred to more than a few that there is an element of bluff in the frequent and business-like announcements from certain capitals of naval programmes contemplated or about to be inaugurated. Such loud talk of big navy protagonists may be calculated to cause a shudder of apprehensiveness among naval rivals and to make their demands for equality or superiority, as the case may be, more moderate. While the delegates of the three principal naval Powers talk in London, planning for future treaties and a balance of strength, Governments discuss what they shall do in the event of their spokesmen failing to reach agreement and of the formidable defences and fighting equipment they will build in that contingency. Bluff is elementary in poker, but the bluffer sometimes finds that the quiet individual across the table is in at the call with a handful of aces. Meanwhile, the public guesses at the facts and worries for the outcome.

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THURSDAY, NOV. 1, 1934.

### CRUCIAL DAYS FOR JAPAN

Japan is at the moment faced with a financial problem of considerable magnitude. Efforts to balance the Budget are proving extremely difficult. The Ministries of War and Navy have been insisting on big appropriations based on the belief that 1935 will be a crucial one in the nation's history. If their full demands were conceded, there would be a Budget deficit totalling no less a sum than \$70,000,000 yen. It is reported, however, that the Ministry of Finance has decided on drastic cuts in the Army and Navy demands, not being disposed to approve of more than forty per cent thereof. In view of the strength and power of the military faction, it will be interesting to watch reactions. There have been some slight indications latterly of a growing ascendancy of the diplomats over the militarists, but it would be premature to suggest that the latter are disposed to give way to any marked extent. The naval position vis-a-vis Britain and the United States has still to be adjusted, in addition to which the influence of the jingoists, with their visions of Far Eastern hegemony, will no doubt be increasingly felt in the near future. Meanwhile, the internal condition of the country, especially in the agricultural districts, is causing some anxiety. Agrarian distress shows no sign of subsiding, and, with the winter ahead, it is likely to be intensified rather than otherwise. This is a problem which is a constant source of worry to the Government, inasmuch as the great bulk of the men of the regular Army hail from agricultural districts, and news filtering through of the conditions in these areas is always liable to lead to a spirit of restlessness amongst the troops. The problem, at bottom, is an economic one, and is not easy of satisfactory adjustment. In the background, also, is the ever-present danger of Communistic activity, on which a sharp eye has to be kept. As against these factors, however, there has to be placed very marked industrial expansion, which is greatly facilitated by the low level to which the yen has fallen, enabling Japanese products to find an easy outlet in world markets. But even in this sphere, fresh difficulties are being encountered as measures are taken by various countries to cope with the "dumping" evil. All in all, whilst Japan's virility and enterprise are still much to the fore, the country is facing difficult times, and its future will be greatly affected by the happenings of the immediate future. If wise statesmanship

### NO HURRY

Japan intimates that she is not in any great hurry to secure naval equality, according to the latest despatches. The Japanese Ambassador at Washington says that her demands have been misunderstood to the extent that they were thought to mean "immediate equality" and explains that Japan is quite content to attain her goal by easy stages. The fact is that even if Britain and the United States agreed to allow Japan equal naval tonnage to either of their fleets, Japan would not be in a position to build to the desired limit immediately. Consequently any apparent concession in the Japanese stand lacks weight in negotiation.

### DANGEROUS ARIZONANS

There has been a recrudescence of the trouble between American farmers in Arizona and their Japanese neighbours. A band of mounted men threw a number of dynamite bombs at the homes of two Japanese land-holders in the Salt River Valley area and a Japanese child was injured by flying glass as a result of the explosion. Violence has been threatened before by the American farmers, who are incensed at the competition offered them by the Japanese and British Indian producers in the region, but this is the first time that either side has resorted to such dangerous demonstrations as bombings. It is very certain that Americans would be highly indignant if their countrymen were treated in such fashion in Japan, and it is equally certain that Japanese will be incensed if harm befalls any of these immigrants in Arizona. Here is a case for swift action on the part of the authorities. In a state where the "frontier law" still appears to prevail.

### PEACE IN INDIA

It is a matter for gratification that the condition of political affairs in India should have moderated to such an extent and that terrorism, according to Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for India, should have been practically stamped out. It is a matter for congratulation, both for the part that the authorities have played in a level-headed administration and for the good sense displayed by the thinking people of India. Indian reformists must have learned that they will never attain their ends by violence and that the surest way to lose sympathy is to resort to mob disorders or cowardly assassination of British officials.

is displayed, there is no reason to suppose anything but a progressive advance being registered. On the other hand, the situation is so delicately poised that a false step might well lead to serious consequences.

## BRITISH PRINCIPLE IN SPORT DEFENDED

By "AN OLD STAGER"

If devoted concentration is a true index of faith, then a dispassionate critic of our epoch might reasonably conclude that, with the Anglo-Saxon communities at all events, sport has become the popular religion.

To upset this logical impression it would be necessary to show Sabbath congregations comparable with the Saturday afternoon football crowds, a revivalist meeting at which the attendance equalled that for a heavy-weight boxing contest, and preachers whose "draw" rivalled that of the electric race at our suburban dog races.

The popular Press may be accepted as a reliable barometer of democratic enthusiasm. I will consent to revise my views about the comparative fervour of popular religion and popular sport when the stunt Press prints as much ecclesiastical news as sporting gossip, or devotes as much of its valuable space to the Archbishop of Canterbury or the President of the Wesleyan Methodists as it does to Don Bradman or Jack Petersen.

But sport, like religion, has its varying forms of expression. The two main varieties are perhaps not greatly dissimilar from the two vital distinctions noticeable in religious observance.

There are those who embrace religion for its own sake, and those who regard it as a form of fire insurance. And just the same way there are sportsmen who are devoted to the game for its own sake, and others who are mainly, if not exclusively, concerned with the winning of the game. That is, I think, the big difference between most British devotees of genuine sport and the majority of America.

Only this week I was reading an article by a very eminent golfing expert who was discussing why our golfers gets so consistently smothered by Americans. A famous American amateur golfer's opinion was cited, and it struck me as ringing true.

This American sportsman asserted that with British golfers the main thing was the game. With Americans, he stated, the game was of less importance and interest than the winning of it. This mental attitude explains much that puzzles and sometimes annoys us in American sporting manifestations. Which is the right attitude may be a matter of opinion.

The American can justify himself by one very respectable and venerable adage: Anything that is worth doing at all is worth doing well. But there again a question of interpretation arises. May not the playing of a game well involve most essentially the losing of it well? I think it most certainly does, and our sportmen are better at this than any others in the world.

This is not, I think, because they have more experience in losing, but because they have an older, better, and more joyous tradition of good sport. Sport is, after all, only a means to an end. In its best forms it is a healthy recreation and amusement. To exagger-

ate the importance of the technical object of sport, therefore, is to lose sight of its main object, and to distort its chief intention.

In so far as success in any sport it is to be desired that a whole-hearted enthusiasm and disciplined efficiency of effort, it is all to the good as indicating that its main object of healthy recreation is being well achieved. But just as it is better to have played and lost than never to have played at all, so it is certainly better to lose handsomely than to win ungloriously. Some tribute to praise must even be accorded to a thoroughly sporting deportment whether in victory or defeat, and obviously the latter imposes the harder test. To that extent a really good loser may be superior to even a good winner.

But in U.S.A. they take a rather different view of these things. The contest for what is called the America's Cup is the latest, but only one example of this.

Nearly a century ago it occurred to yachtsmen in America that it would be an amusing thing to build a yacht to cross the Atlantic and race against British yachts. An intimation to that effect was conveyed by the commodore of the New York Yacht Club to the commodore of our Royal Yacht Squadron put up a silver cup as prize.

During the race one of the two best British yachts drifted aground in a light breeze, and the other fastest British boat at once dropped out of the race to assist her. By all the ordinary rules of yacht racing the America should have been disqualified for rounding a mark buoy on the wrong side. But this was a special occasion, a race in which American yachtsmen were our guests, and the Royal Yacht Squadron waived the point.

Since then we and the Americans have spent, it is estimated, as much as eight or ten million pounds on contesting for that old unimportant £100 cup, to which at the time no great sporting significance attached. But these contests have been strictly under the rules drafted by the Americans.

One stipulation, which compelled the challenging British yacht to cross the Atlantic under her own sail, as the Americans had done, sounds fair, but is in fact prohibitive. There is all the difference imaginable between the yachts that raced for the America Cup round the Isle of Wight, and the eggshell freaks that were soon developed. The result was a costly sequence of abject failures by our challenging British yachts, who were in fact handicapped out of the race by its conditions.

Latterly some modification has been made in these, which makes (Continued on Page 10.)

*The Very Old!*

### MUSIC HATH CHARMS

By George

THE story of how we banished peace and quietness from the home and turned it into a madhouse of revelry and song is one that should be a lesson to all music lovers.

It was about a month ago that Cruikshank after essaying a vocal duet with a stray cat which had caught the seductive perfume of his shaving soap, mentioned to us that we were without a musical instrument in the house.

"That's why we like this place," we exclaimed ignoring Cruikshank's proffered cigarette and reaching for one of his cigars.

"But we ought to have something in for visitors," replied Cruikshank putting the cigars in the drawer and his cigarettes in his pocket.

We looked pointedly at the decanter and delicately reminded our host of his duties.

"I suggest that you get a gramophone and I'll get a radio," said Cruikshank replacing the decanter after pouring out a stiff toddy and becoming very affable.

"I know where there's just the thing, I'll tell Bertie to send it round and if you like it you buy it," he continued, draining the glass at one gulp and ushering us towards the door. "Come along, old chap, let's go to your club and have a drink."

In the fullness of time "Bertie" arrived and sold us a snappy little portable complete with a permanent needle, and one God-forgotten record—"The voice in the old Village Choir."

We had played this delightful little jazz song 23 times to the delectation of our neighbours when "Wilfred" arrived with his little five valve radio.

We explained that Cruikshank would be in shortly.

"Oh no! This is for you," said Wilfred tearing down our reading lamp and transferring the plug with expert fingers.

It was no good explaining to Wilfred. We must have made a mistake or Cruikshank must have made a mistake—but not Wilfred. We paid up and turned on ZBW. The Hongkong Hotel Orchestra were just tuning in on "The Voice in the Old Village Choir."

Later in the evening Cruikshank appeared with a snappy radio which he had managed to buy despite the fact that Wilfred had not appeared. It was no good getting hot about it so we turned on Manila on Cruikshank's radio, Hongkong on ours and allowed "The Voice" to drown the staties.

A week later we had another boarder. He had a piano, radio and gramophone with him and, to add variety, a dog with a long mellow bark.

A week after that the circus set up outside the house and the pace became very hot. Cruikshank did not come home at all the last week of the circus. As for ourselves we became used to getting to sleep to the same tunes each night and managed to stand it.

Now, however, the circus has been replaced by a Carnival and rather than having to learn all over again, we are returning to the wilds of Kowloon Tong with "The Voice in the Old Village Choir."

You're Asking Me?



Voice of Experience Programme  
ZBW  
Hongkong  
Dear. Voice of Experience:

Is it good manners when a boy takes you out to kiss him goodnight when he brings you home?

Helena C.

(signed)

P.S. My book of etiquette don't say nothing.



WOT'S THIS 'ERE TATTOO?



Princess Marina, who yesterday figured in a Paris incident, when a Greek woman leapt on the running-board of her motor-car, brandishing a letter imploring help for her son.

## WOMAN'S 'ATTACK' ON PRINCESS

### DUKE OF KENT'S FIANCÉE IN PARIS ADVENTURE

#### ONLY A FALSE ALARM

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

(By Telegraph. Copyright Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received, Nov. 1, 8.08 a.m.)

Paris, Oct. 31.

Princess Marina, fiancée of the Duke of Kent, today figured in what at first appeared to be an attack upon her person.

The Princess was alighting from her car at her parents' home here when a Greek woman leaped, shouting upon the running board, brandishing a letter.

Since the assassination of King Alexander in Marseilles there has been a certain amount of uneasiness amongst Paris officials where visiting royalties are concerned. Princess Marina naturally was being closely guarded.

Two plainclothes policemen rushed to her at once and seized the woman who made no more threatening move than to continue to wave her letters. A small crowd in the street stood in dumb but momentary terror, while the Princess remained quite calm.

#### NO CHARGE LAID.

Although at the Princess' request, the woman, whose name is Mrs. Adgenian Sulezar, will not be prosecuted, it is likely that she and her husband and son, who stood by when she accosted the Princess, will be deported.

It appears that Mrs. Sulezar had no sinister intentions when she made her spectacular approach to the royal car, but only wished to enlist the Princess' aid for her son for some reason and in some matter not disclosed.—Reuter Special.

### C.M.S.N. SHIP ARRIVES

#### QUICK PASSAGE FROM ENGLAND

#### FOUR MORE ON THE WAY

Shanghai, Oct. 31. The first of the four steamers built in England for the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company fleet, through the British Boxer Indemnity Fund, has arrived here. She is the *Haiyuan*.

She took 47 days for her passage out from Newcastle, and arrived three days ahead of her schedule.

Two other vessels of the same type and tonnage are at present on their way to Shanghai from Britain, and a fourth will leave England to-day, according to latest information by the owners.—Reuter.

#### TO PLY TO CANTON.

Shanghai, Oct. 31. The *s.s. Haifeng*, one of the vessels recently built in England for the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company, arrived here this afternoon for delivery. She will be docked to-day for examination and will be formally delivered to the C.M.S.N.C. on November 10.

The *s.s. Haifeng* will be placed in the service between Shanghai and Canton.—Central News.

### ENGLAND DEFEATS SCOTLAND

#### LUCKY WIN IN SOCCER TEST

#### PLAYED IN WILD WEATHER

Stanford Bridge, Oct. 31. In icy winds and rain, 16,000 silvering fans watched the English League players defeat the Scottish League team by two goals to one in spite of having had the worst of exchanges generally.

For three-quarters of the game the Scottish forwards outplayed the English team easily, running all around the remarkably weak English halves.

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### RESTORATION OF WAGES

#### ROOSEVELT PLANS ANNOUNCED

Washington, Oct. 31. President Roosevelt to-day announced his intention of recommending to Congress full restoration, as from July 1, 1935, of all salaries of Government employees to the 1932 level.

It is the administration's expectation that increases in values and prices will warrant the restoration.

Salaries were reduced fifteen per cent, when President Roosevelt entered the White House in 1933 and the last Congress restored ten per cent, so that the forthcoming increase will be only five per cent.—Central News.

### HOME MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

#### MANY CANDIDATES IN FIELD

London, Oct. 31. Polling takes place to-morrow in the Municipal Council elections throughout the country, and in London 28 Borough Councils will be reconstituted.

The election campaign has been proceeding for several weeks, and 2,700 candidates have been nominated. Of these, 158 have been returned unopposed, and the remainder are contesting 1,167 seats.

Although many of the issues are purely local, the candidates are, in the main, divided into two parties, 1,271 being Municipal Reformers and 1,157 Labour. Ninety-four are standing as independents and 62 as Communists. The candidates include 460 women.—British Wireless.

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### DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

TRUE REPENTANCE CONSISTS IN THE HEART BEING BROKEN FOR SIN AND BROKEN FROM SIN.—Thornton.

A cargo coolie, Hau Sik-hin, was injured in the spine yesterday when he fell into a hold on the *s.s. Sirdham* during an alteration with another man.

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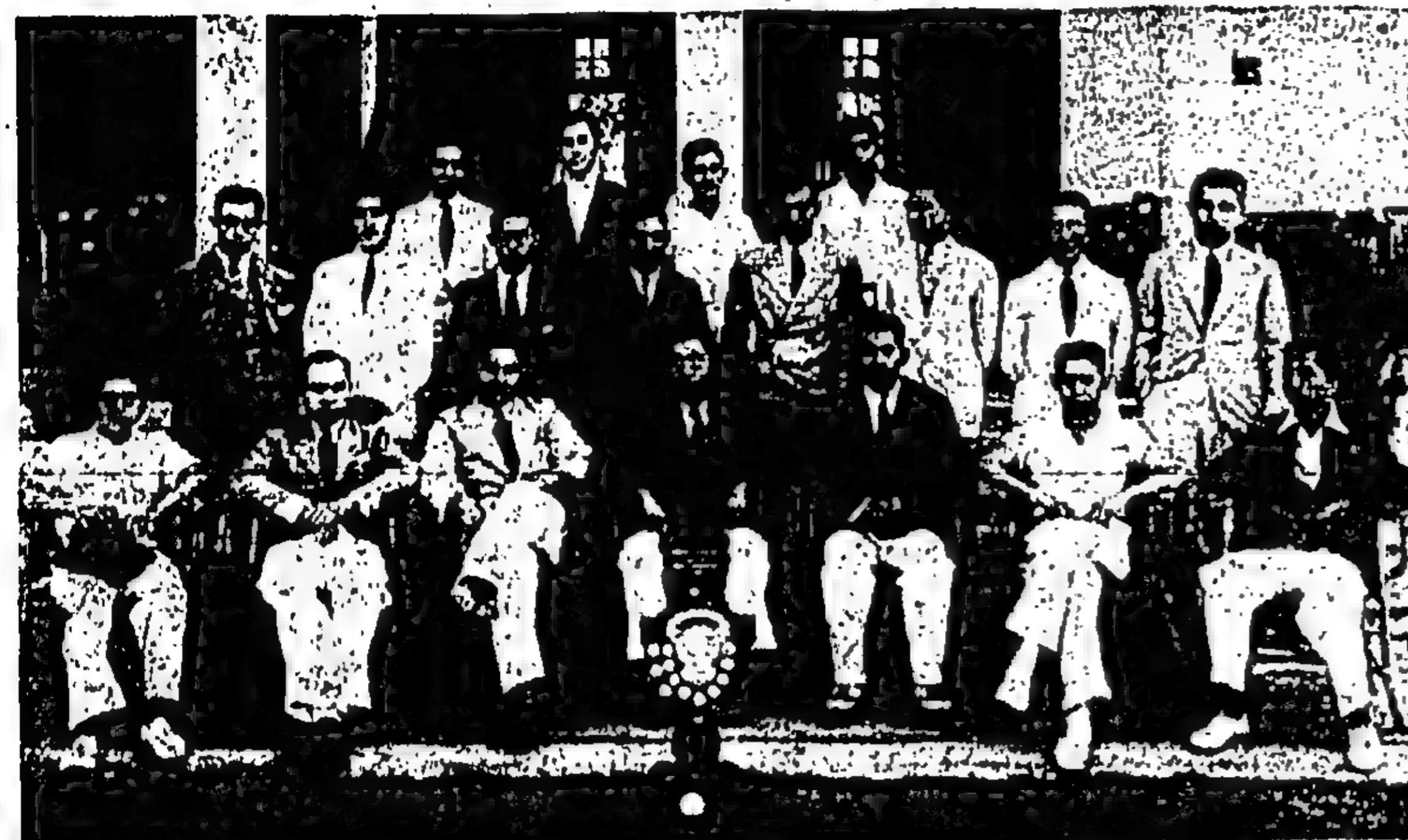
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# RUGBY PROSPECTS OF THE THREE HOME SERVICES

## I.R.C. LAWN BOWL PLAYERS



The Indian Recreation Club caused no small sensation in Lawn Bowls circles this year by winning the Junior Championship. They entered the competition for the first time last year and at the end of the season were at the bottom of the League Table. The above photograph shows the I.R.C. players. (Photo: Ming Yuen.)

## Thumb-Nail Sketches Of Women Cricketers

### FIFTEEN ENGLISH PLAYERS ON WAY TO AUSTRALIA

London. The women's cricket team, which left England on October 19 for a tour in Australia, will arrive in Colombo on Armistice Day, and it is hoped to arrange for them to play a match there.

The fifteen members of the team are paying their own expenses, and will return via Panama, reaching England on April 3. Here are thumb-nail sketches of the players supplied by Miss V. M. Cox, Hon. Secretary of the Women's Cricket Association:

E. Archdale, captain, a good bat, studying for the Bar. Specialises on International Law.

E. Snowball, vice-captain and wicket-keeper. The finest wicket-keeper in women's cricket, and a good opening batswoman. On the staff of St. Swithun's School, Winchester.

M. Maclagan, opening batswoman, makes many runs, with a very good defence and endless patience. Good field and medium pace bowler.

M. Hide, a very good all-round, quick scoring bat, excellent deep-field, and good medium to fast bowler. Taking the Agricultural Course at Reading University.

J. E. Partridge, sound careful bat, excellent point of slips. On the staff of Wyecombe Abbey School.

M. I. Taylor, the fast bowler, and good outfield. Secretary 1<sup>st</sup> London business house.

D. M. Turner, another medium to fast bowler, good field. Secretary in a London business house.

J. Liebert, a young all-rounder. Studying Art in London.

C. Valentine, a bowler, fast off the pitch, good field, sister of B. H. Valentine, the Kent County C.C. vice-Captain.

D. Spear, medium to slow bowler, very accurate. Student at Dartford Physical Training College.

G. A. Morgan, second wicket-keeper. Accurate and neat bat. A Civil Servant in the Ministry of Health.

## K.C.C. CRICKET

### Teams For Inter Club Game

The following teams have been selected to take part in the Kowloon Cricket Club Inter Club League match on Sunday commencing at 10.30 a.m.:

F. E. Lawrence, (Capt.), R. Lee, V. A. Durling, B. Lay, E. F. Fincher, F. Broadbridge, S. A. Gray, S. Jex, Mulcahy, M. R. Swain, L. A. Oppenheim, J. Fraser, W. C. Excell,

E. C. Fincher, (Capt.), F. S. W. Smith, W. I. Mackenzie, P. O. Dunne, A. W. Ramsey, Goo, Lee, R. E. Lindell, G. A. V. Hall, D. S. Green, A. Phillipps, C. L. Gregory, A. Wright, H. L. Langley.

Three points will be awarded for a win and one point for draw.

**CRAIGENGOWAN TEAMS.**

The following have been selected to represent Craigengowan Cricket Club in first and second division friendly fixtures with the I.R.C. on Saturday, Nov. 3rd:-

1st XI—I.R.C. Ground.—A. B. Hamon (Capt.), F. R. Zimmerman, F. K. Lee, E. C. Harry, L. Hubbard, G. Souza, G. A. Lee, A. R. H. Esman, J. L. Youngs, A. Kitchell and J. W. Leonard.

2nd XI—Home Ground.—W. K. Way (Capt.), C. W. Lam, A. Hunt, J. R. Luke, N. Broadbridge, E. B. Hamson, Y. Abbas, G. Lal, E. Souza, C. E. Wong and E. S. Cunningham.

## THE YANKEE TO VISIT COWES

### To Race With "J" Class Yachts

London. The announcement that Mr. Gerard Lambert will bring the sloop Yankee to Cowes next year has afforded pleasure to all lovers of the sport in this country. Mr. Lambert has just brought the yacht which many believe is a better boat than Rainbow.

No American sloop has visited Cowes Regatta for forty years. During that time seven English cutters have raced in America—Valkyrie III in 1896, Sir Thomas Lipton's five Shamrocks in 1899, 1901, 1903, 1920 and 1930, and Mr. Sopwith's Endeavour.

There is a general feeling the Americans should make a return visit. Not only is the Yankee a most suitable craft but her new owner is a representative of American yacht racing who will command the esteem of British yachtsmen.

The sporting, cheerful, light-hearted and delightfully social races of the British coast should appeal to him. In these events, from year to year, the King's yacht Britannia and the various cutter yachts of somewhat similar size—Endeavour, Velsheda, Shamrock, those yachts now called "J" class, and Candida and Astraea—race together, taking, as it were, "rough with the smooth."

It is in these matches Mr. Gerard Lambert would join with Yankee.

Only veterans can remember the last visits of the American sloops Navahoe and Vigilant in 1893 and 1894. The memory of the great races they sailed with Britannia, then owned by Edward Prince of Wales, and Valkyrie, Salamita, and Calluna still lives. It is high time another American competitor came again.

## CANTON TENNIS GERMAN CLUB TOURNEY

Canton, Oct. 31.

The annual tennis tournaments in the Deutscher Garten Klub have now been arranged. The Men's Singles Championship will be five-set matches and the following players have been drawn to play in the first round:—Botfelder v. Seegelken, von Essen v. Rode, Watson v. Schneider, Plate v. Wright. The present holder is R. P. Newell, and the holders for 1931 and 1932 respectively were G. Bodlker and E. Precht.

In the Men's Singles, Class B, each player will play 11 games against every player who has entered, and the winner will be the one who scores the most games. The following players have entered their names:—Edwards, Dillner, Nordstrom, Voskamp, Kugne, Grim, Weiss, Heckel, Crutwell.

The Ladies' Singles Championship will be the best of three sets. Those playing are:—Frau Kanter, Fischer, Janissen, Rode, Koehler. The present holder is Frau Kanter.

A further match is a doubles handicap in which the following are playing:—Frau Kanter and G. Bodlker (50) v. von Essen and C. A. Wright (50); Frau Fischer and C. E. Watson (30) v. Plate and Seegelken (15); Frau Rode and Rode (50) Rode, Crutwell and R. F. Edwards (Set) v. H. Schindler and E. Dillner (30).

Our Own Correspondent.

## ARMY FAVoured FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP

### NAVY'S INTERNATIONAL STAND OFF OUT

#### R.A.F. OPTIMISTIC NOTE

Once again this season the Army will have a rugged side which is almost up to international standards, and they must undoubtedly start as favourites for the Inter-Services Championship. Army Rugby football has always been endowed with a super-abundance of really good footballers, and herein lies the reason for the Army's superiority over the other two Services, for their reserve strength is enormous.

Below the prospects of the Royal Navy, Army and Air Force for the current season are reviewed.

London.

The Royal Navy start the season with an exceptionally large number of players who have taken part in Inter-Services matches. Last year the fixture with R.A.F. unfortunately clashed with the England and Ireland International match, with the result that substitutes had to be found to fill the places of those who were playing for their respective countries. Actually this was a blessing in disguise, for several young players gained some valuable experience of representative football.

The departure of Lieutenant W. Elliott, the English international stand-off half-back, to the Mediterranean Fleet is something in the nature of calamity, but Sub-Lieutenant J. S. W. Walsham (H.M. S. Iron Duke), proved himself to be a very efficient substitute for Elliott in the match against the R.A.F. and no anxiety is being felt on this score.

Lieutenant D. A. G. G. (Blackhouse) will probably work the scrum.

The three-quarter backs are for the most part young, and with last season's experience behind them, should be an all-round improvement.

Midshipman P. D. Lewis (R. N. E. College, Keyham), who has had a Welsh trial, has already given ample proof that he has lost none of his form.

Sub-Lieutenant (E.) J. P. Kirkby's place on the other wing will not be secure, for Lieutenant G. M. Whendon, who is a strong runner and now a regular member of the Portsmouth Services' side, may take his place in the Navy's team. In the centre Able Seaman J. H. Bailey (H.M.S. Drake) is a truthful player, who continues to improve with every game. The filling of the other centre position may cause some difficulty.

Walsham occupied this position in the match against the Army, but he will probably play in the stand-off half-back position, and Able Seaman C.R. Knappman, who played against the R.A.F., is retiring from first-class football. Lieutenant G. M. Sladen, however, an English international, has recovered from his injuries.

**GORLING AT BACK**

Lieutenant (E.) C. G. Gosling will probably be the back, for although he has lost none of his form.

Sub-Lieutenant (E.) J. A. Watson (Royal Artillery), A. J. A. Watson (The Queen's Royal Regiment), E. T. Oxford (Royal Tank Corps), and W. P. Hobbs (Royal Artillery), who has recently left the R.M.A. and will

certainly carry on the great traditions of the Hobbs's family.

As usual, the Royal Air Force start the season on an optimistic note, for all the players who took part in the representative matches last season are available, and although they were overwhelmed by the Royal Navy, it was realised before the match that the defence was not all that it should have been.

As the forwards in the preliminary matches against such strong sides as Bedford, Leicester, and Northampton consistently got more than their fair share of the ball in the scrummages, the selectors chose to sacrifice the defence in favour of the attack. As it turned out, however, the forwards failed completely against the Navy, and the result was disastrous. For the Army match the team was built up on very different lines, and the selectors took the bold course of making no fewer than nine changes in the side. This policy paid, for although lacking in experience, the forwards held the strong Army pack and the outsiders in defence showed great determination. Indeed, the bold tackling of the three-quarter backs was a feature of the game.

**BEAMISH AS SKIPPER**

Flying Officer C. Beamish (Eastchurch), the Irish international forward, will captain the side and lead the forwards, and will form the foundation of the pack, he will have at his disposal Pilot Officer G. G. R. Lewis (Duxford), who in addition to being the possessor of an English trial cap, has had considerable experience with Leicester, and Pilot Officer R. H. Waterhouse (Donibristle). It is impossible to forecast the remainder of the pack with any accuracy, but Leading Aircraftman W. E. Simmonds (Henlow) has recently returned from abroad and is playing as well as ever.

Sergeant J. S. Signal (Duxford) is also available to assist Waterhouse and Pilot Officer R. H. S. McConnell (Calshot) showed considerable promise last season as a winging forward.

There should be little difficulty in building up a really good three-quarter line. Flying Officer H. W. Mermagen (Abingdon), who has played in the centre for Richmond and Sussex, has recovered from the injury which kept him out of the game for the greater part of last season.

Flying Officer H. J. H. is good (Abingdon) was also handicapped by injuries, but he, too, is quite fit again, while Pilot Officer N. G. Mulholland

## PONY TRAINING TIMES.

### THIS SEASON'S GRIFFINS TRAIN FOR ST. LEGER RACES.

#### ABLE AMAZON IN GREAT FORM.

Because of the running of the three St. Leger classics on November 17, some of this season's best griffins in both the Australian and China pony divisions, including Able Amazon, Mutiny Bay and the champion sub Copper Idol, galloped yesterday morning at Happy Valley over the medium distance in preparation for the November classics. These ponies may be resting for the meeting this week.

Flying Tourist is not a bad proposition for the "C" Class race, after his fine gallop yesterday with a good finish of 31.4 secs. Soldier of China covered a mile in fast time, and will be taken out by S. Pan. Night Star finished a six furlong gallop in effortless fashion, with a last bit of 28 secs.

Notable runners include the following ponies: King's Fancy, King's Bounty, Burgomaster, Brechin, Bobrik Star, Racing Boy, Ribble and Tiny Star. Details of other gallops appear below:

	Dis-	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.	5th.	Last
	stance	Qu.	Qu.	Qu.	Qu.	Qu.	Qu.
Abie Amazon	1½	36.2	1.10	1.474	2.16.0	2.46.0	30
Sacko	¾	35.1	1.12	1.474	2.14	2.44	29
Woodland Stag	1	37	1.12	1.474	2.18.2	30.3	30.3
Gladiator	1	38	1.14	1.474	2.18.2	34.3	34.3
Mutiny Idol	1	37	1.14	1.46.2	2.21	32	32
Soldier of Germany	1	37	1.14	1.46.2	2.21	32	32
King's Bounty	1	38.2	1.16	1.50.8	2.19.3	20	20
Mutiny Bay	1½	38.3	1.14.1	1.47.2	2.20	2.49.1	20.1
Night Star	¾	31.5	1.02.2	1.50.3	2.28.1		
Copper Idol	1½	31.1	1.10	1.48	2.23.2	2.55.2	52
Classic Hall	1	37.8	1.12.2	1.53.1	2.25.3	32.2	31.2
Wayward Stag	1	31	1.12	1.49.0	2.20.0	31	31
Burgomaster	1	37	1.14	1.50	2.21.2	31.2	31.2
Solar Star	1	40	1.25	2.00	2.21.2	31.2	31.2
Don	1	38	1.08.2	1.39.2	2.21.4	28.4	28
Wonderful Stag	¾	35.2	1.08.3	1.37.2	2.26	2.55	50
King's Fancy	1½	41.2	1.18	1.52.3	2.26	2.55	28
Brechin	¾	31	1.01	1.29			
Macaroni	¾	37.8	1.12.2	1.44			31.3
Emberg	¾	37.8	1.12.2	1.44			31.3
King's Warden	1	34.2	1.09	1.48	2.10	29.2	29.2
Sarabande	1	35.1	1.10	1.43.4	2.14.3	30.4	30.4
Racing Boy	1	34.1	1.09.3	1.43.4			

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Above is a photograph taken at the recent "At Home" of the Craignowar Cricket Club team which won the Senior Lawn Bowls Shield this year. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

WORLD'S FINEST  
IN TENNIS

TILDEN CHOOSES  
PROFESSIONALS

In First 3 Places

"The idea of holding an open lawn tennis championship similar to the open championship at golf is dead—at least for the present."

These were the words of W. T. Tilden, who as an amateur won the championship at Wimbledon in 1920, 1921, and 1930 in the course of an interview at Southport recently.

As a professional Tilden has organised professional tours and matches all over the United States and Europe and is now leading in the first international professional tournament held in this country at Southport.

"Two years ago an open championship appeared to be almost a certainty," said Tilden, "but this year the International Lawn Tennis Federation, the body that decides this question, by a huge majority voted against amateurs competing against professionals.

"Do you think that if such an event were allowed that a professional player would win?" he was asked.

"Undoubtedly," answered Tilden, "I should be surprised if there were not three professionals in the semi-finals. Look at our range of players."

Hans Nusslein, of Germany, to-day, is the best player in the world. He beat Vines in the United States recently for the professional title. He is a hard hitting Cochet type of player, and you know how good Cochet was at his best.

"There are also Cochet, myself, Vincent Richards, Vines, Maskell, Gledhill, Burke, and a host of other international players, five of whom have won at Wimbledon or won other world amateur championships."

When the British objection to professional exhibition matches with the same troupe of players was voiced, and it was pointed out that in England competitive play was preferred, Tilden said: "I agree and can tell you that we are aiming for this goal next year, when there will be money prizes put up to be won only by the players with the most racket skill."

For instance, those in the last eight will receive something: the last four, a little more; the beaten finalist, still a little more; and the

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NEW YORK GIANTS  
STRENGTHENED

New York, Oct. 31.—Closing a deal estimated to involve the expenditure of \$100,000, the New York Giants baseball club has announced the acquisition of Dick Bartell, star shortstop of the Philadelphia Phillies.

This is the first major move on the part of the Giants' club to improve their infield and take a place in the race for the 1935 pennant.

With the cash payment, the Giants gave the Philadelphia club John Blend Ryan, Johnny Vergez, George Watkins and Pohn Pruzewski.

LOTT  
AND  
STOESEN

MAY BECOME  
PROFESSIONALS

New York, Oct. 31.—George Lott and Lester Stoezen, holders of the U.S. and Wimbledon Doubles Championships, and U.S. Davis Cup doubles players, are considering entering the professional ranks.

A statement to this effect was made by Mercey Beasley, the Coach for the U.S. Davis Cup Team, last night.

If the information is correct, it will mean that the United States will have to find another doubles pair for the challenge against Great Britain for the Davis Cup next year.

Beasley is inclined to the view that Donald Budge, the eighteen-year-old Junior Champion of the United States, and Gene Mako, also eighteen years old, and runner-up in the Junior championship, would make an ideal pair.

Budge and Mako, although they have not yet played against internationals, are said to have developed into a formidable pair, and hold the Californian doubles championships.

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Tilden said he believed that there was big money to be picked up for good exhibition matches, even in this country.

FRIENDLY  
HOCKEY

ST. ANDREW'S LOSE  
TO H.K. CLUB

In a friendly hockey match, which was not productive of any brilliant play, the Hongkong Hockey Club seniors defeated St. Andrew's Club by two goals to nil on the home ground at King's Park yesterday afternoon.

Changes were made in both teams. H. O. Bramble and P. H. Senior were substitutes from the Club forward line, E. C. Fischer and A. A. R. Botelho substituting. R. A. Carroll was absent from the Saints' right wing, A. S. Blise being brought up from right-back to fill the gap. F. A. Broadbridge deputised for Blise in the defence.

The Saints commenced with only ten men, E. H. P. White their left-back, being a late arrival. During his absence, the Club scored two goals through J. W. Poole-Hunt, playing on the left wing, and J. L. Telley. The latter obtained his goal from a neat pass from E. C. Fischer, playing on the right wing.

C. L. Gregory, the Club goalkeeper, brought off a good left-handed save from a shot from one of the Saints' forwards, and, shortly afterwards, N. Mackay had hard luck to be robbed when in the dee. R. Baldwin, in the second half, made a splendid run down the left wing and sent in a shot that just missed the mark.

W. Reed, in the pivotal position, played a good game for the Club, while J. Rodger, at left back, was also in form. For the Saints, Broadbridge and White were the outstanding players.

MAMAK GAME.

On the Marine ground yesterday afternoon, the Royal Corps of Signals defeated the University by two goals to one in a Mamak Hockey Tournament match. The Varsity scored first through Guon, but in the second half, the Signals rallied and scored two goals through Martin and Farrell.

RADIO CLUB'S TEAM.

The Radio Sports' Club, Colmore Team, will meet Queen's College today at Caroline Hill in a friendly game of hockey. The following will represent the Club:

Gurdial Singh; Parduman Singh, J. S. Grewal; Jagdutt Singh, M. H. Hasson, J. M. Tavares; R. Aycock, Attar Singh, Surjan Singh, Bhagwan Singh, G. S. Pardesi. Reserves—W. J. Chanson and Channa Singh.

**SPORT ADVTS.**

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 3rd NOVEMBER, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,  
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Hongkong, 28th October, 1934.

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By Blosser



**FLOODLIGHT FOOTBALL****GRAND FINALE TO TATTOO**

As a grand finale to the Military Tattoo at Kookungoo, it is proposed to hold a floodlight football match on the Kookungoo football ground, on Monday November 5 at 7 p.m., between the South China A. A. and a combined team from the South Wales Borderers and Lincoln.

The following are the selected teams.

Army—Higgins (Lincoln), Morrison (S.W.B.) and Mullane (S.W.B.); Dudley (Lincoln), Padmore (S.W.B.) and Jones (S.W.B.); Mathias (S.W.B.), Fortey (S.W.B.), Mulips (Lincoln), Ridley (Lincoln), and Baldry (Lincoln).

South China—Wong Wah-ke; Loung In-chan, and Lau Mau; Loung Wing-chui, Wong Mol-shun, and Lee Kwok-wai; Tao Kwei-shing, Li Shui-wing, Tam Kong-pak, Cheuk Sek-kam, Li Shok-yau.

**LEAGUE GAME POSTPONED**

The First Division League match between the East Lancashire Regiment and the Lincolnshire Regiment, fixed for Sunday, has been postponed. The game will now be played on the Chatham Road ground on Wednesday next, kick off at 4 p.m.

**CRICKET****DIOCESAN BOYS' BEAT R.A.S.C.**

The Diocesan Boys' School defeated the Royal Army Service Corps in a friendly cricket match played on the school ground yesterday afternoon. Batting first, the soldiers were dismissed for 69, of which T. Haynes scored 22. A. Huber captured four wickets for 22 runs.

The schoolboys had no difficulty in passing their opponents total and at the close of play had scored 140 for nine wickets.

G. T. Lee was in good form, scoring 14 runs, while A. Zimmerman also collected 25.

**LEAGUE FIXTURE**

The Club de Recreio senior eleven in a League Cricket Match against The Army on Saturday at King's Park will be represented by the following:—A. M. Rodrigues (Capt.), B. A. Alves, W. A. Reed, A. Prata, E. M. L. Soares, P. M. N. da Silva, A. P. Pereira, A. P. Gutierrez, G. A. Gutierrez, L. J. Gutierrez, and H. A. Barros. Reserve:—P. J. Remedios.

**LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE****LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS**

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Morris, Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters, British Government Securities, Oct. 30, Oct. 31.

War Loan 3½% £104½ £105½

Chinese Bonds 4½% Bonds 1980 £100½ £101½

4½% Loan 1998 £93½ £94½

6½% Loan 1912 £72½ £74½

6½% George Loan 1918 (Ldn. Ins.) £66½ £67½

5% Bonds 1925-37 £90½ £90½

5% Shill-Nanking Rly. £78½ £74½

6½% Tient-Pukow Rly. £27 £27

6½% Tient-Pukow Railways (Supl. Ldn.) £22 £22

5% Shill-H'chow Ningpo Rly. £100 £100

5% Honay Rly. £26 £26

5% Fukien Rly. £36½ £37

5% Long Tsin U. Hain Rly. 1912 £16 £16

Foreign Bonds and Banks, German 7½% Int. Loan 1924 £51 £51

5% of Osaka 6½% Sterling Loan 1929 £87½ £87½

Japan 6½% Sterling Loan 1924 £91½ £91

H.K. & Shill Rly. (Ldn. Regd.) £133½ £133½

Charid. Bk. £6 sh. £10 £10

Industrials and Breweries, Associated Elec. Industries 22 22

British-Amer. Tel. (Bearer) 120 120

Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer) 22/6 22/6

Tate & Lyle 93/6 92/9

Courttaulds 46/1½ 46/1

Distillers 91 91/12

Dunlop Rubber 47/6 46/6

Ever-ready 6½ sh. 6½ sh.

General Electric (England) 46 46

Hoof 6½ sh. 46/1

Imp. Chem. Ind. 31/10½ 34/10½

Imp. Chem. Ind. 10/½ sh. 9/

Imp. Tobacco 132 133 11½

Woolworths 5 sh. 10/2/6 10/3

Internat. Nickel 10/2/6 10/3

Postman John 8 23½ 8 23½

Porkins Johnson 10 sh. 41/4 41/6

Turner & Newall 19/6 38/9

Unilever 23/6 23/3

Miscellaneous, Anglo-Dutch 23/1½ 23/1½

Burma Corp. Rs. 10 12

**RADIO BROADCAST****(Continued from Page 7)**

Master Alice, 11.45 a.m. "Alice Concert," Greenwich Time Signal at 4 p.m.; 12.30 p.m. "Tea through Time and Space," Sir James Jean, P.M.E.; 12.45 p.m. "Light Programme," Mr. George Sociedad, 1 p.m. "The News"; 1.15 p.m. "Dance Music"; 1.45 p.m. "Close down."

**TRANSMISSION 6.**

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2 a.m. Big Ben, The News;

2.15 a.m. "American Radio," by Q. H. Parsons, from the American Radio Broadcast House, Concert Overture in E flat (Panuke);

2.30 a.m. "Navy News," by (Radio) Fleet News, March (Elias, arr. Martin);

3 a.m. "Clock Signal" at 7 p.m.; Mr. Howard Marshall.

3.15 a.m. "Alice Atterton says, 'Can't Resist You,'" A Light Opera, produced by Greenock Time Signal at 8 p.m.

4 a.m. "The Wireless Military Band, Conductor, B. Walton O'Donnell, Miller's Marches," by (Radio) Fleet News, March (Elias, arr. Martin);

4.15 a.m. "Royal Philharmonic Society's Concert," The London Philharmonic Orchestra, Conductor, Mr. Thomas Herben, Jas. Smither (Pianoforte);

5 a.m. "A Light Imperial Programme," Variety, Relayed from the Theatre Royal, Peterborough;

5.30 a.m. "The News,"

6.15 a.m. "Close down." Denotes electrical recording; denotes recorded programme.

**BRITISH PRINCIPLE IN SPORT DEFENDED****(Continued from Page 6)**

the handicap less hopeless, though it is still a big disadvantage for the challenger to have to make the Atlantic voyage, raft her racing gear in America, and take part in the cup contest, under unfamiliar sailing conditions, with little time for practice.

Even so we saw Mr. Sopwith make a wonderfully good show in the earlier races with Rainbow. But America is out to win in yachting as in other sports, and Mr. Vanderbilt, the owner-skippers of the defending craft, upped Mr. Sopwith's sailing tactics by not recognising the usual yachting rules applicable to the manoeuvre of luffing to prevent an overtaking yacht stalling the windward berth. Whether in doing so he was within the American yachting law, or whether Mr. Sopwith's protest was well founded, we do not know. That protest was disallowed by the New York Yacht Club on a purely technical ground of delay in making it.

So America keeps the Cup, no doubt rejoices in the fact, and congratulates herself on her superior cuteness. We on our part may be well content to forgo the £100 cup in reflecting on the technicalities on which American sportsmanship rigidly insisted, and that other technicalities which British sportsmanship, in the case of the first race round the Isle of Wight, so handsomely insisted on ignoring. We and the Americans can both enjoy our own kind of smile at the contrast.

These things are a question of point of view and tradition. The American and the British are fundamentally different.

Our M.C.C.'s quixotic attitude in the recent Australian cricket tests would be absolutely incomprehensible to America. When John Roberts, the greatest billiard wizard the world has ever seen, was challenged by Ives, the American, the latter won easily by a cut exploitation of the anchor shot, which was not billiards, but yet not then expressly barred by the rules. Old Tom Cannon, of Liverpool, who was in wrestling very much what John Roberts had been in billiards a few years earlier, met the American wrestler, Carkeek, and lost the first contest because he could not grip his opponent at all. The American had offed himself all over like a Channel swimmer. When Jimmy

**U.S. COMMODITY PRICES****LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS**

Mosera, Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday.

New York Cotton, Oct. 30, Oct. 31, Close Range

December 12.22 12.13-12.16

January 12.26 12.10-12.16

March 12.27 12.20-12.20

May 12.33 12.24-12.24

July 12.32 12.18-12.19

October (1938) 12.10 12.12-12.12

Spot 12.45 12.40

New York Rubber

December 13.82 13.90-13.91

January 13.92 13.92-13.92

March 14.15 13.26-13.27

May 14.25 13.43-13.46

July 14.65 13.62-13.62

September 14.70 13.83-13.83

Total sales—1,229 lots

Chicago Wheat

December .00 105½-106½

May .06 104½-104½

July .08 103-103

Tuesday's sales—24,840,000 bushels

Chicago Corn

December 75½ 75½-76

May 70¾ 70¾-71

July 77 70¾-77

Total sales—9,087,000 bushels

Winnipeg Wheat

October 74½ 74½-74½

December 75½ 75½-76

May 80½ 79½-80

Total sales—2,000 tons

New York Silk

December 1.15½ 1.15½-1.16

March 1.16½ 1.16½-1.17

May 1.18 1.17½-1.18

Total sales—27 lots

Montreal Silver

December 52.40 52.16-52.17

March 53.35 53.05-53.05

May 53.70 53.70-53.70

July 54.00 54.00-54.00

Total sales—39 contracts

Cotton Mills

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### ROOSEVELT KEEPES SILENT

#### DECLINES TO TELL OF CONVERSATION

(Special to "Telegraph")

*(By Telegraph. Copyright, Telegraphic News Service, Inc., Received November 1, 1934.)*

Washington, Oct. 31.—President Roosevelt to-day declared that he had discussed world affairs with Mr. Henry L. Stimson, the former Secretary of State in the Hoover Government, when he was questioned about the conversations in the White House yesterday.

The President declined to specify the subjects discussed and also declined to comment on what was transpiring at the London naval conversations. He would not say whether or not he had talked of that matter with Mr. Stimson.—*United Press.*

#### ARMS EMBARGO

#### ALL GOVERNMENTS NOW IN LINE

London, Oct. 31.—In answer to a question in the House of Commons, the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, said an international agreement to prevent the supply of arms to Bolivia and Paraguay, invited and pressed by His Majesty's Government, had at last been put into operation.

All arms-manufacturing countries approached by the League Committee, who had previously announced their acceptance in principle of the proposed embargo, now stated that they took the necessary measures before the end of September, without reservations as regards execution of current contracts.—*British Wireless.*

#### CORRESPONDENCE

##### Cruelty To Birds

The Editor, *Hongkong Telegraph.*

Sir.—May I bring to the notice of the public, through the medium of your paper, the terribly cruel way in which birds are imported into this Colony?

For example, the case reported in your issue of Thursday, of a Western Market dealer who was merely cautioned by the Magistrate for being in possession of 82 birds in a basket, 16 of which had been trampled to death. Even if the man had only just received the birds, surely he deserved punishment for accepting them in such a state?"

DEADALUS.

#### SPEED-FLIERS IN ATHENS

#### SOON EXPECTED IN LONDON

London, Oct. 31.—Cathcart Jones and Walter, who are attempting a record-breaking Melbourne-to-England flight, were expected to arrive this evening, but have decided to remain the night at Athens, where they landed from Baghdad this afternoon.—*British Wireless.*

#### COLD WEATHER AT HOME

#### SNOW IN SCOTLAND AND LONDON

London, Oct. 31.—Britain is experiencing a cold spell, and snow fell heavily to-day in several parts of Scotland.

There was also a fall in North London this afternoon.—*British Wireless.*

#### IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day:—Soudan, Norn Maerk, Juna, Mary Moller, Nanchang, Asama Maru, Somerville, Deli Maru, Diomed, Storaen Ordske, Elefni, Sygna, Talyuan, Hokkoh Maru, Sikjang, Hellikon, Himejima.

They change so fast, there should be a new picture at least once a year, for photographs of the children never grow up.

Make an appointment to-day.

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### AIRWAYS REACH TOWARDS CHINA

(Continued from Page 1.)

During his long tour, there were no forced landings, and all flights were made strictly to schedule.

#### INDIA-SINGAPORE.

He was particularly interested in the development in progress in aerodromes and landing grounds on the India-Singapore section of the route, which, he is satisfied, is proceeding on right lines. The chief difficulty over this part of the route is the dampness of the aerodromes during the monsoon period, but this matter is receiving the attention of aerodrome experts. Fortunately, the prevailing winds do not vary substantially in direction, and it is therefore possible to overcome the difficulty by putting down landing strips on the aerodromes. This method has already been adopted at Bangkok with marked success.

#### THE AUSTRALIAN RACE.

Sir Philip Sassoon said the civil aerodrome at Singapore was a very fine one, and buildings had been extremely well designed and laid out. The people of Malaya were enthusiastic over flying, and realised their responsibilities and be a link of ever-increasing importance in the Empire air mail route.

He expressed satisfaction that the speed race in the great Australia contest was won by a British machine and a British engine, and paid a tribute to the excellent performance of the Douglas machine flown by very able Dutch pilots. But he did not think they would claim that the time had yet arrived when it was possible to contemplate a speed of 200 miles per hour on a regular schedule flown in all weathers and at all times of the year. The lessons of the race were apparent, but he did not wish it to be thought that any special action on the part of the Air Ministry was attendant on the result of such an event.

#### EMPIRE CHAIN.

Referring to the work on plans for ordered development which had been proceeding at the Air Ministry, in conjunction with the Post Office and Imperial Airways, for many months past, he said they had reached the conclusion that the present flying times between London and other Empire capitals must be progressively and drastically curtailed, and that measures must be taken for further development of air mail traffic in particular.

Obviously a great deal of preparatory work must be done, and the closest and fullest consultation with the Dominions and Colonies was a necessary preliminary to the final formulation of a definitive scheme. They had no intention of making their plans public prematurely.—*British Wireless.*

#### RUBBER PROBLEM

#### RESTRICTION MAY BE 30 PER CENT.

New York, Oct. 31.—The adjournment of the Rubber Restriction Committee's meeting without any action being taken will probably disconcert the market until a settlement is reached. We hear that restriction is likely to amount to 30 per cent. eventually.

The break in rubber prices is due to the failure of an announcement by the London Restriction Committee and the reported difficulty to secure an agreement from the Dutch delegates.—*Per Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.*

#### MANILA STOCK EXCHANGE

#### PHILIPPINE GOLD SHARE QUOTATIONS

To-day's quotations as received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz shortly after the close of the morning session of the Manila Stock Exchange are as follows:

Price In Pesos	Asked 100 Sales Volume	Price Price In Pesos
Antonuk Goldfields	0.23	0.32 0.33 20000
Banico Gold Mining	0.23	0.32 0.33 20000
Bureau Consolidated	31.00	30.80 30.80 20000
Gold Bullion Co.	0.18	0.17 0.17 2000
Goldfield Mines	1.00	1.00 1.00 2000
Golden Mining Co.	5.00	5.00 5.00 100000
Salacot Minnre Co.	0.14	0.13 0.14 10000
Swan Consolidated	0.27	0.25 0.21 20000
U.S. Gold Co.	0.27	0.25 0.25 20000
R. G. & F. Gold share Index	69.4	Market steadily. Volume Prices 110,000.

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# BEACH CLUB GIRL

By MABEL MCLELLIOTT

CHAPTER XLV

Veronica Kerrigan twitted a fresh pillow-slip in place and gazed down the hall in the direction of the hospital entrance from whose open doors, echoed sounds of merriment. Young Mr. Van Selver's wheel chair was established there, cheek by jowl with the Boston ferns and the old lady in 316, who was convalescing from a gall bladder operation, and who enjoyed a good story when she heard one.

Veronica was on duty now, taking care of Mr. Van Selver. His day nurse, Elsie Goff, had been called home by the illness of her father—providentially, Veronica thought. She had never had a patient she liked so much as Mr. Van Selver. Good-looking, rich, considerate, a perfect gentleman, she said to herself, if ever there was one.

Just why that fiancee of his, that blond girl from Larchmead, didn't sing for joy because she'd been so lucky to snag him Veronica, simply did not understand. She herself got down every night on her knees and prayed to St. Joseph to find her good husband. She had a small metal image of the saint strung around her neck this very moment, on a thin silver chain. And all she'd got for it (up to date) was the attention of Will Schultz, who ran a garage. New Martin and wasn't half bad if you overlooked his grimy fingernails.

Miss Kerrigan was in a mated, coaxing voice. "If they're not sizzling I'll pep yours up in the diet kitchen." "Will you do that?" He gave her hand with firm, competent fingers, a little squeeze. "There's a good girl."

As she fluttered down the hall she treasured the thought of that impulsive little gesture. Probably it didn't mean a thing, though. He was just a great big kid.

When Boots came the next night she was alone. Deals hadn't telephoned. She had come down on the bus.

Saw the instant she met Edward's eyes that she needn't tell him. He had the papers strewn all over his bed. He grinned broadly. "Same luck, eh? Some fun!" "Isn't it too marvelous?" She leaned over his shoulder, staring down at the picture of her mother above the headline.

"Suburban Autron Wins Prize in Charity Sweepstakes."

"Never got such kick out of anything in my life," he told her.

"Oaf brought the papers up with supper and you could have knocked me over with a breath when I read the news. I've been rooting for your mother ever since."

Miss Kerrigan, frisking in on her neat white sheet with their discreet rubber heels, gave Boots a frosty smile. She too, had read the story. Some folks have everything, she told him, indignantly.

"Did Dinny call you?"

Boots felt her heart beat faster at the mention of his name. "No, he didn't. Why?"

"Oh, he's got sand in his shoes again, wants to light out. This time it's to be a tramp steamer for the West Indies or some place. He ran in at noontime. He's packing his stuff. Says he's gone stale and can't write."

There was a lump of ice where Boots' heart had been. She managed to say naturally enough, "I guess he never stays in one place for long. But how about Kay Chillingford? I thought he was waiting around for her to come back?"

"Oh, that's all off—he has been for weeks," Edward told her. "They hadn't been hitting it off so well when she left and she'd written him a lot of sour letters. Dinny said they'd

been to call it a day. She's marrying some dusty old member of

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Although pleading not guilty to a charge of assaulting Ng Shai-kau, a private ricksha coolie employed at No. 29 The Peak, on Tuesday night at Harlech Road, Ng Wun, a gardener of No. 53 The Peak, candidly confessed to having struck the complainant, when giving evidence from the witness box, and was fined \$50, or one month's hard labour, by Mr. W. M. Thomson, at the Central Magistracy this morning.

The complainant said in evidence that he was assaulted by defendant and his younger brother, who were armed with iron bars. He did not know the reason for the assault, but defendant's younger brother had been employed as a ricksha coolie with him at No. 29 The Peak, and had been dismissed. Furthermore, he (witness) had instructions from his master to get another man.

Defendant said he had a quarrel with the complainant on Tuesday night, and a fight started. He struck the complainant with some stones, but not with an iron bar. Complainant struck him with his fist. The quarrel arose when he asked complainant why he had dismissed his brother.

The complainant had a deep cut on his head, and another on his right arm, besides marks of bruising on his back.

#### LOCAL ESTATES

#### PROBATE GRANTED IN THREE CASES

Gladys Way, formerly of 83 Wellington Road, Tientsin, who died on November 18 last, left local estate valued at \$11,500. Exemplification of probate of the will has been granted to Herbert Castle Barton Way, solicitor.

Chan Tai-kam, spinster, of 519, Nathan Road, died at Honam Canton, on January 31 aged 67, leaving local estate sworn under \$214,000. Probate of the will has been granted to Mr. H. B. Forsyth and Mr. C. H. Brown, chartered accountants. In her will deceased leaves considerable property on

### ELECTRIC WIRE THEFTS

#### TWO MEN SENT TO PRISON

Thefts of electric wiring, led to the appearance of two 17-year-old unemployed men, before Mr. E. L. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. Both defendants pleaded guilty and were sentenced to imprisonment.

The defendants were Wong Yin and Ma Wal-ming, and they were charged with stealing electric wiring from No. 1 Nam Kok Road, and No. 6 Nam Kok Road. A 45-year-old plasterer, Chin Tam, appeared as complainant.

The first defendant was also charged with receiving electric wiring which had been stolen from Nga Tsui Lung Road yesterday.

Sergeant Carson appeared for the prosecution and stated that the defendants were seen coming from the stairway of No. 1 Nam Kok Road, by a small boy who shouted "Thief!" The defendants had the wiring in a basket, and were chased by a policeman. The first defendant was caught, but the second defendant managed to get away.

The first defendant took the police to No. 86 Woo Sung Street and there the second defendant was found and arrested. At the police station, they both stated that they had been stealing the wiring for a man named Cheung Yat-sang, but he could not be found.

Wong Yin, who had a previous conviction and had been birched, was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour on each charge, the sentences to run consecutively. Second defendant was sentenced to one month's hard labour on each charge, the sentences to run consecutively.

trust for Chan Cheng-shi, natural mother of Chan Kwok-lau, deceased's adopted son; and for the natural mothers of her nephews, Chan Kwok-kwong, Chan Kwok-man, Chan Kwok-sun, and Chan Kwok.

Poon Wal-suen, merchant, of 20, Li Yuen Street West, died on June 12 leaving local estate at \$119,600 probate of the will being granted to Poon Kal-za and Poon Yam-ning, merchants, of the same address.

### LOTTERY TICKET POSSESSION

#### SEQUEL TO POLICE RAID

A raid carried out by Detective Sub-Inspector Cunningham and a party of Chinese detectives on the Wing Lok Wharf at 9.30 a.m. yesterday resulted in the appearance of two wharf coolies before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning on charges of being in possession of *po-piu* lottery tickets.

Defendants were So Chuen and Chan Tai. The former was found to have five tickets in his possession, and \$51 were found on his bed. Chan Tai had 24 tickets.

So Chuen pleaded guilty to being in possession of the tickets and was fined \$100, or two months.

Chan Tai said he bought the tickets for some friends, and they were not for sale. He was remanded for 24 hours to enable him to prove his story.

In another *po-piu* prosecution, a woman named Li Ho and a man named Chan Yick were each fined \$50, or one month, for possession of 224 tickets at No. 22 Queen's Road Central.

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